

SAMMIES SHOUT "WE'RE ON OUR WAY TO BERLIN" AS THEY TAKE VILLAGE

FIRST SUCCESS OF AMERICAN FORCE ENCOURAGES BRITISH AND FRENCH

FRANCO-BRITISH TROOPS FORCED BY SUPERIOR NUMBERS TO GIVE MORE GROUND IN THE VICINITY OF SOISSONS

AMERICAN LOSS IS VERY LIGHT

"We are in Germany, on our way to Berlin," was the piercing American cry which rose above the din of battle at Cantigny as the Americans took that important town and 182 Boche prisoners today. They are now consolidating their gains in the face of heavy enemy attempts to wrest back the lost territory. Two German heavy counter attacks were broken up by the Americans, according to official announcement of the French war office at noon today. British and French at their respective headquarters in the trenches gave way to wild joy as reports of the victory and word that the Yankees held their own against terrific blows of the enemy. All the Allied leaders saw great promise in this first big success of the American forces.

Cantigny is an important occupied town and lies behind the German lines. It has been under heavy bombardment by the Americans for several days. French officers were high in their praise of the splendid spirit shown. No hesitancy was shown by the American regiment—numbering more than 3,000 men—that carried out the assault. They went over the top at the blow of the whistle, in 45 minutes completing their job of cleaning out the Boche. Many Germans ran toward the Americans in groups of ten and twenty yelling "kamerad". In one instance a German machine gun nest of thirty was taken by the Americans. Every chance was given the Huns to play fair. When trickery was discovered no mercy was given. The American success was the most important in the last 48 hours, even though some of the moves on the western front checker board elsewhere range above it in strategical importance.

Its effect of the allied forces on the western front sector is expected to be profound. German morale must suffer a terrible slump.

While the American forces in France held their own the Franco-British army opposing the German big drive at Soissons and Reims today gave further ground. The French war office reported the falling back of the French left to the eastern border of Soissons. "The French left was driven back to the eastern border of the Soissons where the battle is going on furiously," the communique said. Heroic defense of Vesle heights by the French continued today. The Germans have advanced at least 9 miles in depth at some points since the resumption of the drive. Heavy fighting today centered over a front of 186 miles with heavy artillery action on the Meuse and in the Lorraine sector where American forces are in the line. Failure of German raids north of Baden-Villers where American troops are fighting was reported. General Haig reported nothing but minor attacks up to noon. The Echo d Paris today carried a dispatch saying that the Germans have advanced at some points to a depth of 15 1/2 miles. This would indicate that its correspondent at the front had received accounts of fresh gains not yet admitted by the French war office. United Press dispatches received up to noon did not confirm this. Enemy reinforcements were noted by Allied observers.

With The American Army In France, May 29.—American losses in the battle of Cantigny were slight, it was officially announced today. Artillery activity has increased in all sectors held by the American troops.

68 MEN TO LEAVE FOR OGLETHORPE NEXT SATURDAY

An order received by Chief Clerk Bain last evening changes the time for the next contingent to leave Clearfield on Saturday June 1st, at 12:20 a. m. These men, who will go to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and are required to report in Clearfield Friday afternoon May 31st, at 2 o'clock. Their names follow:

- 1184 John Raymond Sones, Zarepath, N. J.
- 1241 William Streible, Winburne
- 1252 John Bobby, Jr., Winburne
- 1344 Perri Begonini, Clearfield
- 1363 Herbert Roop, Hawk Run
- 1365 Charles Wm. Martell, LeContes Mills, Pa.
- 1370 Lawrence A. Folmar, Grass Flat
- 1376 Lincoln McKelly, Clearfield
- 1384 James Mitchell, Jr., Clearfield
- 1394 Boyd Hollabaugh, Wallacetown
- 1405 Thos. D. Beers, Grampian
- 1413 Chas. Robt. Brown, Munson
- 1421 Frank Foreforest, Clearfield
- 1439 John Smotzer, Philipsburg
- 1439 Ernest Strange, Youngstown
- 1440 Reginald Stevens, Woodland
- 1445 George J. Carley, Munson, R.
- 1456 Fred H. Charles, Curwensville
- 1455 Edward Hamilton, Hawk Run
- 1457 Albert Lyle Row, Clearfield
- 1460 Godfred Wasson, Munson
- 1467 Mitro Hondoga, Hawk Run
- 1468 Benjamin Hainey, Shawville
- 1471 Walter Eisenhauer, Grass Flat
- 1472 Gennaro Bruno, Irvona
- 1473 Charles Poole, Clearfield
- 1475 Chas. Blair Davis, Clearfield
- 1480 Julius Fountain, Hawk Run
- 1481 Carlo Lezzerni, Curwensville
- 1482 Hilary C. Liggay, Frenchville
- 1488 Mike Botcho, Morrisdale
- 1490 Axel E. Johnson, Grass Flat
- 1494 Arthur G. Wipk, Glass Flat
- 1495 Armand Tatonnani, Clearfield
- 1499 Thos. E. Pike, Woodland
- 1509 August Kilbassa, Munson
- 1511 Wm. H. Beely, Hawk Run
- 1513 John A. Sargent, Woodland
- 1514 Gust Swanson, Lansie
- 1516 Charley B. Jury, LeContes Mills

The following District No. 2 contingent will leave DuBois for Fort Oglethorpe on Saturday:

- Alfred P. Swisher, DuBois
- Gennario Sigorelli, Tyler
- Charles S. Beitz, Mahaffey
- Charles Gaerbero, Curwensville
- George Shupeins, DuBois
- Jesse V. Shaffer, DuBois
- Horace W. Bouch, McGees Mills, R. D. 2
- Vaughn Bell, Bell Landing
- Nikita Martinak, Maunona, Md.
- Water Chas, DuBois, R. D. 2
- Joe M. Liplok, Hevetia
- Tony Kossal, DuBois
- Wasyi Kahna, Curwensville
- John A. Lyons, DuBois, R. D. 2
- Dae G. Sheffield, DuBois
- John Allen, Johnstown
- Albert Miranno, DuBois, R. D. 3
- Thomas Dixon, DuBois
- Thomas Dixon, DuBois
- Fred A. Arvickson, DuBois
- Joseph Romeo, DuBois
- David Hirsch, Williamsport
- Austin J. Dertz, DuBois
- Frank Cherivitch, DuBois, R. 2
- Allesan'io Crimini, DuBois, R. 3

The following men will leave for Ft. Oglethorpe, Georgia, Saturday, June 1, 1918 at 8:37 a. m., from District No. 3 at Houtzdale.

- Homar Vaughn Fox, Ramey Pa.
- Leo H. Kruse, Rosbud
- Patricia Leamosa, Medora
- Roy Eakins, Fallon Timber
- Daniel Hennessy, Houtzdale
- Howard Merrill Oaks, Westover
- Chit Rowles, Olanta
- James Holmes, Osceola
- Charles Conrad, Roshub
- Panasin Gueppe, Lumber City
- Albert J. Simendinger, Houtzdale
- Charles Buth, Burnside
- Alvin F. Albersberger, Osceola
- Evan Lewis, Smoke Run
- Ernest Gard Ginter, Smith Mills
- Walter Isaac King, Madera
- Joseph Gili, Burnside
- Harry S. Strick, Houtzdale
- George Humko, Baccara

CAN NEITHER WORK NOR FIGHT, BUT IS MAD ENOUGH TO

A burglar swiped about \$20 worth of bench tools from Andrew Hawick's harness shop last night and Andy was pretty darn mad about it this morning.

The thief abstracted a pair of galls from each of two side windows and reached in and helped himself to the tools which were in their rack along the wall.

As a result of the theft Andy was unable to do any work this morning and he is afraid he will be put in the army under General Crowder's order to work or fight before he can get a new batch of tools. Some of the articles taken were relics, too. County Commissioner Jesse Dale being authority for the statement that Andy bought part of them in 1868 when he made his first set of harness for Pete McGeorge who started that winter to cut the pine on the head of Big Trout run. He offered to prove the statement by Pete Brown and Squire Milligan, who used the harness on their supply teams at that time.

The police are investigating the robbery.

REPUBLICAN PARTY ADOPTS PLATFORM

Indianapolis, May 29—"There is for every individual and every political party but one supreme duty and this is to end the war," that was the declaration of the platform presented to the Republican State Convention in session here today by Will H. Hays, national chairman of the Republican party and chairman of the Resolutions committee.

The platform framed under Hays' directing hand contains the sentiments of the national Republican leaders. The platform makes an appeal for the right of full participation of the Republican party in war activity. "We hereby denounce any criticism of public officials high or low. The party lends itself for peace and victory and not peace by compromise. A bargain of rights which would violate American rights, interests and honour."

NEW RUBBISH DUMP

The rubbish dump located on South Fourth street, near the Pine Tree foundry of the Clearfield Machine shops, has been ordered closed by the Board of Health and after Saturday evening it will be unlawful to dump rubbish there.

A rubbish dump has been secured along Clearfield creek just above the site of the old powder mill and all rubbish must be dumped at that point hereafter.

To get to the new dump it will be necessary to travel the State road to the creek and then go up along the creek and pass under the Pennsylvania bridge to the dump.

By Order of

The Board of Health.

Clearfield, Pa., May 29, 1918.

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

The prayer meeting service this evening at eight o'clock will be in the nature of a Memorial day service. The membership and friends of the church are urged to be present. The President's Memorial day declaration will be read.

While the eastern teas of the National league have been easy picking for the Giants, the western outfits are far from a cinch for the McGrawites.

- Walter P. Geraty, Houtzdale
- Guy Carter, Osceola Mills
- Joseph Sparta, Osceola Mills
- Charles Arger, Osceola Mills
- Harry F. Saupp, Houtzdale
- Clyd N. Ginter, Coalport
- Spaulato Vincenzo, Chester Hill
- Winton P. O.
- Substitutes
- Joseph J. Kapasta, Ramey
- Clive T. Westover, Westover
- Joe Gabriel, Madera
- Boyle N. S. S. Smoker
- Ray M. Crank, New Milport
- Robert P. Gallant, Rosbud

NATION PREPARED FOR THE MOST IMPRESSIVE MEMORIAL DAY

NO PAPER TOMORROW

In accordance with time-honored custom there will be no paper issued from The Progress office tomorrow.

GRANDMA'S WAY OF BAKING WON'T DO IN WARTIME

The way the demonstrator, J. V. Baker smashed a lot of grandmother's pet baking theories at the High School auditorium yesterday afternoon was enough to make that dear old lady rise up in utter protest.

These demonstrations are carried on by the Bernhard, Stern & Company, of Milwaukee, who feel that they are rendering a patriotic service to the women of this country by giving them clear instructions on how the flour substitutes can be successfully used.

The audience, though not large, made up in attention and enthusiastic interest what it lacked in numbers and there wasn't an uninteresting minute from 1:30 until nearly 5:00 p. m. when Mr. Baker brought six fluffy loaves of bread from the domestic science room showing the ladies that even the much dreaded barley could be utilized in making light palatable bread.

Note books and pencils were furnished the ladies and as Mr. Baker proceeded with his demonstration frequent notes were made of his performances and the men folks of Clearfield will probably have some of these things tried on them next baking day. Mr. Baker who, by the way is aptly named knows flour from the time it reaches the mill in raw wheat until it comes from the oven ready for the table. Having first learned the baker's trade then the millig trade he followed this with a course of chemistry as related to flour and baking in one of our leading universities.

Mr. Baker prepared six different loaves of bread. Five of them contained a single wheat flour substitute used and then he explained in simple terms the chemical action which takes place when the yeast which only acts upon the wheat flour comes in contact with the combination of the two.

According to Mr. Baker the American housewife of today is making hard work of bread baking which in fact is really easy if his instructions are carried out. He advised the use of more yeast than is ordinarily used in baking and he was also very liberal in the use of salt.

Bernhard, Stern & Sons are to be commended on the spirit behind these demonstrations for at the present time they have no flour to sell, the government taking all they can produce and limiting the supply of wheat that they should use.

Such demonstrations as these are bound to make bread baking much easier for the housewife until times become normal and it is questionable even after that whether we having become accustomed to the substitute-made bread, will not like it better than the all-wheat bread.

DAMAGE TO FLY TRAPS MUST STOP

Boys or other evil-disposed persons have been tampering with and damaging the fly traps located on the streets about town and notice is hereby given that in the future all persons caught tampering with or damaging these fly traps will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

By Order of

The Board of Health.

Clearfield, Pa., May 29, 1918.

Workman's Cash Stores at Clearfield, Philipsburg, Osceola, Houtzdale will give 5 per cent. on Saturday for benefit Red Cross.

Washington, D. C., May 29—Veterans of the civil and Spanish-American wars and members of the various women's auxiliaries and other patriotic societies here have competed arrangements for the annual observance tomorrow of what will be the most impressive Memorial Day the nation has seen in years. Combined with the customary exercises in memory of the heroes of long ago there will be an impressive tribute to the memory of those who have given their lives in the present great conflict for freedom and democracy.

The principal exercises in this vicinity will be held at the national military cemetery at Arlington, across the Potomac from Washington, where sleep 22,000 of the nation's dead, Federal officers and soldiers and Confederate officers and soldiers side by side.

Arlington is the greatest of the national cemeteries and perhaps the most beautiful burial ground in all the country. Within its confines rest the soldiers of many wars. Revolutionary veterans and soldiers and sailors of the War of 1812 lie under the same trees that shelter their descendants killed in the great war between the states and those who gave up their lives in Cuba and the Philippines. Soldiers who met death at the hands of the Seminole or Sioux sleep side by side, and with them are the men who fell in the war with Mexico. Sailors who served on the Constitution and on the Maine are interred at Arlington.

There are constantly being garnered in the dead of the army and navy who are still fighting, the nation's battles wherever the service calls. There are legions of dead in Arlington and the number is constantly increasing, but on Memorial Day not one of the multitude will be forgotten.

To him who strolls casually through Arlington and reads the names upon the gravestones will be called up the memories of the deeds of such men as General Phil Sheridan, Grant's chief of cavalry, who rode that 20 miles to Winchester. There will be seen the tomb of Gen. John M. Schofield, commander of the army of the Tennessee in the Civil war and later commanding general of the army. Not far away are the last resting-places of Crook, Gresham, Gibbon, Wheeler and Herney. For seventy-one years Harney was a commissioned officer of the United States army a veteran of the old Second Dragoons. He fought in the Black Hawk and Seminole wars, in Mexico, and on the plains, and in the Northern army in the civil war.

Among the men of the navy there are to be found in Arlington names no less honored than among those of the army. There are to be found the graves of Admiral David Dixon Porter, Admiral Winfield Scott Schley, Admiral T. Sampson and Admiral "Fighting Bob" Evans.

In the very foreground of the cemetery stands a tall, spiral monument over the grave of General Joe Wheeler, that dashing leader of Confederate forces in the civil war who later in the Spanish-American controversy led the troops that bore the flag against which he had formerly fought.

In the midst of towering monuments that indicate the greatness of those that rest beneath them is to be found the grave of General Henry W. Lawton, the last of the men of his rank to meet death in the field. General Lawton was killed in the Philippines in 1899, as he pursued the outlaw Aguinaldo through the morasses of that newly acquired possession.

Occupying a prominent place in the cemetery is that most tragic of all monuments, the tomb of the unknown. Here lie the remains of more than 2,000 men who died on battlefields in the civil war. Mostly they are of that great body known as extra soldiers.

Aside from these there are 4,000 other graves in Arlington that mark the remains of soldiers or sailors who were never identified. A slab with the name and company marks the grave of a known soldier, while a square stone with a number marks the unknown.

BIG DRIVE FUTILE

New York, May 29—Von Hindenburg has made admission of the futility of a drive toward the coast in his efforts to satisfy the home clamor for more victories, according to J. W. P. Mason United Press war expert today. Mason considers the Aisne drive a major offensive movement. Mason declares that the advance on Aisne has so far given Germany nothing of importance in return for the great loss of man power.

Shortly after the publication of Mason's article Amsterdam dispatches received told of a brave statement from the German Kaiser to the Kaiserin. The Kaiser said: "Wilhelm and the Crown Prince attacked the English and the French at Chemin Des Dames completely surprising them. We have crossed the Aisne and are approaching Vesle. Fritz (Prince Eitel Frederick) was one of the first to reach the Aisne. Our losses are slight. They are making good progress."

There was no mention in the Kaiser's dispatch to his wife of the reverses in Flanders, where the smash toward Ypres was completely broken up.

NORMAL CASUALTY LIST IS ISSUED

Washington, May 29—Thirty casualties in the American army fighting in France was reported by General Pershing today as follows: 5 killed in action, 5 died from wounds, 10 died from disease, 1 killed in accident, 7 wounded severely, and 2 missing in action. Major John H. Carnack of St. Louis, wounded severely.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING A DELIGHTFUL EVENT

About twenty-five members of the Woman's club attended the meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank B. Reed on Old Town Road last evening. The house was artistically decorated with white peonies and purple iris, and other spring flowers which are used effectively in decorative gardening. "Decorative Gardening" was the subject for the evening and some very amusing experiences were told to cultivate certain plants and bulbs. The business meeting and reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, preceded the program which Mrs. Reed opened by reading several very excellent articles on the mystery, beauty and religion of flowers. Flowers are gifts from God. They are divine messages of love, of cheer, and silently they teach us the great lesson of humility, without which there can be no real understanding of divine power.

Mrs. Charles Kurtz gave a very instructive and interesting talk on the care and culture of bulbs, and Mrs. Phil Reed gave a short talk on practical ways of helping the farmer conserve his fruit. At the close of the social hour the members were invited to the dining room where the hostess served fruit lunch and little cakes.

MOOSE CLUB TO CLOSE BUFFET

Tomorrow being Memorial day the buffet at the L. O. O. M. club will be closed all day.

By Order of Dictator

WILL LUNCH THE VETERANS

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will serve a lunch to the old soldiers in the hose house on Market street on their return from the cemetery following the Memorial Day parade.

NOTICE

All barber shops will be closed all day Memorial day. Will be in the shop before and after.

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"YALP? ROINES EHT"

There is a likelihood that some of our well-disposed people who might want to contribute to the Second Red Cross War Fund, may be overlooked, and such of our people are earnestly asked to either hand their subscription in to Red Cross Headquarters, or send it by mail. We will try not to overlook anybody, but don't wait to be seen. Send it in.

Classified Ads For Everybody

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A girl or elderly woman for general housework in family of three. Good wages. Telephone Phillipsburg 907-22. M25-1r

WANTED—Girl to do kitchen work at F. B. Wilson's, 216 Reed St., Clearfield, Pa. M27-1t

YOUNG MAN Wanted to work in drug store. An excellent chance to learn pharmacy. Apply at once to Stewart Drug company. M29-1r

WANTED—Restaurant clerk. Apply Palace hotel, Clearfield, Pa. M29-3c

WANTED—Reliable woman to do housework on farm. Inquire at office. M29-3t-pd.

WANTED

WANTED—Washings to do at home. Call at No. 8, 5th street. Mrs. Melissa Snoke. M23-1w

WANTED—5,000 old feather beds, highest cash prices paid. Write postal to Pullman Feather Co., care Progress, Clearfield, Pa. A2-6mo

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—House at Kerr addition at a bargain. Inquire at Progress. M23-1w-pd

FOR SALE—Columbia Grafonola nearly new, will sacrifice to quick cash buyer. Good reason for selling. Call 209 North street. M25-3tp

FOR SALE—House and lot on East Main street. Inquire at Snyder and Snyder Jewelry Store. M23-1w

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Moving west. Bargains. Inquire 330 Market street. M25-1r

FOR SALE—Motorcycle in good condition will be sold cheap. At a reasonable price. Call D. L. care Progress. M27-2tp

FOR SALE—A brown reed baby carriage in good condition. Inquire at Progress. M28-3t-ch

FOR SALE—Royal Red Cross Range in first class condition, used 2 1/2 years. A bargain if taken at once. Also about 8 yards linoleum. Inquire A. B. C. Progress. M29-1f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Room for light house keeping. Man and wife without children preferred. Call No. 8 5th street Mrs. Melissa Snoke. M23-1w

FOR RENT—Pasture field in Paradise. Will rent for cows or young cattle. Inquire R. D. Dale. M28-2tc

LOST

LOST—Pocketbook in Curwensville Monday between Boston Store and L. W. Spencer's Store. Finder please return same to Guy Clark, Curwensville. M29-2t-pd

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"YALP? ROINES EHT"

NOTHING ELSE LIKE IN CLEARFIELD

There has never been anything in Clearfield with the INSTANT action of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika. ONE SPOONFUL flushes the ENTIRE bowel tract, so completely it relieves ANY CASE, sour stomach, gas or constipation and prevents appendicitis. The INSTANT, pleasant action of Adler-ika surprises both doctors and patients. C. W. Dooley, Druggist.

Workman's Cash Stores at Clearfield, Phillipsburg, Osceola, Houtzdale will give 5 per cent. on Saturday for benefit Red Cross.

WHAT OTHERS THINK OF HER SINGING

Of Thamnaze Cox who has been engaged to sing the soprano solo parts in "The Conversion" which will mark the opening of the 42nd commencement of the Clearfield High school at the auditorium on Sunday afternoon the local paper of Frederick, Md., says:

By the storms of applause that greeted Mrs. Thamnaze Cox, of Houtzdale, Pa., last night when she appeared in a song recital in Hood College Hall, the affair was one of the most successful ever given at the college. Mrs. Cox, who has a lyric soprano voice of wide range and flexibility, was brought to Frederick by the members of the Senior class of the college.

Mrs. Cox sang with an ease and content that brought rounds of admiring applause from the large audience that had assembled in the college hall. Her enunciation was clear and her versatility was shown in her interpretation of the various songs in English, German, French and Italian. Besides her excellent voice, Mrs. Cox has a personality, which in itself wins her audience. Her manner is attractive. She responded generously to the many demands of the audience for encores.

ALL FIREMEN ATTENTION

An effort is being made to have this Memorial day celebration eclipse the celebrations of the past and to have the committee desires that every person participates who can possibly do so. We hope to have every fireman with a uniform in line tomorrow afternoon. Meet at borough building at 1 o'clock.

By order of the Chief A. P. Spangler, Sec'y.

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When Itching Stops

There is one safe, dependable treatment that relieves itching torture and skin irritation almost instantly and that cleanses and soothes the skin.

Ask any druggist for a 35c or \$1 bottle of zemo and apply it as directed. Soon you will find that irritations, pimples, blackheads, eczema, blotches, ringworm and similar skin troubles will disappear. A little zemo, the penetrating, satisfying liquid, is all that is needed, for it banishes most skin eruptions and makes the skin soft, smooth and healthy.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

"MUTT AND JEFF" ENLIST

The Pennsylvania freight station crew has long contained two members who were generally referred to as the "Mutt and Jeff" of the gang. They were Lee Senser who measured 6 feet 4 inches in his headless socks and B. F. Cole who taped 5 feet 2. The boys had a great time kidding each other over the war and their possibility of getting in. Senser declared Cole was too short and the latter contended his partner was too long for the trenches and Uncle Sam wouldn't have him on that account.

They decided to test their theories and were more than pleased to find they were both wrong. "Mutt" Senser went to Altoona last week and enlisted in the U. S. engineers and is now at Camp Dix, New Jersey, while "Jeff" Cole slipped quietly over to Johnston yesterday and was accepted for the Field Artillery and expects to leave for Camp in a day or two.

PAY OR PAINT

Mayor John M. Chase decided after careful inspection during several police courts that the thorough look-up needed renovating and a general overhauling, and with that end in view recently purchased a quantity of paint and brushes and then set his traps for a painter or two. Knowing that painters usually get full as little red wagons on Saturday night the Burgess expected a haul Sunday morning. He wasn't disappointed, either. There were several victims to come before the mayor, but only one failed to produce the necessary coin to pay for his keeping.

He was of the genius hobo and gave his name as Pat O'Brien from the Boverly in New York. He was given the contract to paint the look-up and started in on the job Monday morning. The police drag net Tuesday evening landed Pierce Caldwell, of Curwensville, in the borough bastille and this morning he was added to the lineup and the work is now going along finely.

With a two man crew the Mayor has decided on two coats and if he gets another painter or two the police have their eyes open for next Saturday night and may add a vest and pair of pants to it.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF THE P. O. S. OF A.

All members of Washington Camp 591, P. O. S. of A. are requested to meet in the lodge room on Thursday, May 30, at one o'clock to take part in the Memorial day parade. All members of other camps working or visiting in town are cordially invited to take part in the parade with Camp 591.

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

Mrs. Lynn Stewart is visiting relatives in Houtzdale.

Mrs. Frank Kelley is on the sick list at her home on South Side.

Mrs. Annie McTavish, of Hyde, was a week-end visitor at the home of Capt. John Norris and family, of George street.

Mrs. John Pifer and daughter, Miss Ruby, were shopping in DuBois yesterday.

Mrs. D. P. McClure is among the number reported on the sick list.

How high are we hereabouts? Curwensville is 1134 feet above sea level, Grampian 1569, and Summit 2034.

Mrs. Margaret Robinson is visiting her sister in Lumber City.

Curwensville's reorganized baseball team will stage their initial contest at Curwensville Memorial Day, at 3:30 p. m.

The home team's opponents for the opening game will be the fast Altoona High School team who will come here under the direction of Coach Sharada. The speedy Altoona team is represented by an aggregation of hall tossers that has won for them commendation wherever they played. They have crossed bats with the best teams in the state, including those of our largest cities, and to date they have only one loss to account for.

Curwensville has succeeded in assembling together a nine that is fast to feel proud of. The boys are practicing faithfully every day and will unquestionably show results of their consistent training.

Altoona comes here quite confident of adding another to their long string of victories and Curwensville is equally as confident that they will stop their first game.

If the weather permits a record breaking crowd is expected. There will be a parade before the game and Burgess Traister will see Curwensville boys off on their opening victory by tossing out the first ball.

The power house at mine 20 was destroyed by fire Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Dunn and sister, Mrs. J. G. Fullerton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russell, of town, Mr. and Mrs. David Reid and Abram Reid of Glen Richy, Mrs. Walter Gray and Miss Catherine Reid of York, Pa., attended the funeral of their brother and brother-in-law, William Reid, at DuBois yesterday afternoon.

Curwensville people will celebrate Memorial Day tomorrow with appropriate exercises in Oak Hill cemetery at 2 o'clock p. m. William I. Swoope of Curwensville, will deliver the oration and both hands will be present to furnish the music.

MORE CLEARFIELD BOYS IN FRANCE

Isaac Hudson, Jr. and his cousin Harry Hudson have arrived in France according to word received by their parents Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. James Hudson.

Workman's Cash Store at Clearfield, Phillipsburg, Osceola, Houtzdale will give 5 per cent. on Saturday for benefit Red Cross.

BEST FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, LUMBAGO

Wonderful 20th Century Liniment Can now be obtained at all Good Drug Stores. Is Guaranteed.

The shocking, burning pain of Rheumatism, Backache, Lumbago, Sciatica, and other ailments, which often keep you from your work and home, can be relieved by the use of 20th Century Liniment. This liniment is made of the finest medicinal herbs and is guaranteed to give you instant relief. It is the best remedy for all these ailments and is sold in every good drug store. If you are suffering from any of these ailments, get this liniment today and you will be able to get on with your work and home life again.

WHEN! WHERE! HOW! ALL YOUTHS 21 MUST REGISTER

Washington, May 28.—The War Department has issued the following instructions to all youths attaining the age of twenty-one on or before June 5:

"WHO MUST REGISTER"—All male persons (citizens or aliens) born between June 6, 1896 and June 5, 1897 inclusive, except officers and enlisted men of the Regular Army, Navy and Marine Corps and the National Guard and Naval Militia while in Federal service, and officers in Officers' Reserve Corps and enlisted men in Enlisted Reserve Corps while in active service.

"WHEN"—On Wednesday, June 5, 1918, between 7 a. m. and 9 p. m.

"WHERE"—District No. 1, Clearfield county: At Winbunne for Morris, Cooper and Graham townships. At LeContes Mills for Karhaus, Covington and Girard townships.

At Clearfield Exemption Board headquarters for remainder of District.

For District No. 2, At Mahaffey for Mahaffey, Bell and Greenwood townships.

At Grampian for Grampian, Penn. Pike and Bloom townships.

At Exemption Board headquarters, DuBois, for DuBois, Troutville borough, Union, Brady and Sandy townships.

At Tyler for Huston township.

"HOW"—Go in person on June 5 to your registration place. If you expect to be absent from home on June 5 go at once to the office of the local board where you happen to be. Have your registration card filled out and certified. Mail it to the local board having jurisdiction where you permanently reside. Enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your registration card for return of your registration certificate. Failure to get this certificate may cause you serious inconvenience. You must mail your registration card in time to reach your home local board on June 7. If you are sick on June 5 and unable to present yourself in person, send some competent friend. The clerk may deputize him to prepare your card.

"INFORMATION"—If you are in doubt as to what to do or where to register consult your local board.

"PENALTY FOR NOT REGISTERING"—Failure to register is a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment for one year. It may result in loss of valuable rights and privileges and immediate induction into military service.

The young men affected are all citizens and aliens born between June 6, 1896, and June 5, 1897, inclusive. The only ones exempt are those now in the regular army, marine corps, navy and the National Guard and naval militia while in federal service; officers in the officers' reserve corps and enlisted men in the enlisted reserve corps while in active service.

WOODLAND PATRIOTIC

Two prominent and well known young men from our town left yesterday to enlist in Uncle Sam's fight for democracy. The two young men, namely, Lloyd Lutzer and Karl Hummel, came to Clearfield on the morning P. R. R. train where they joined Harold and Jesse Fiegal and left for DuBois on the B. R. and P. train.

CLEARFIELD COUNTY BOYS ENLIST

Wayne Hall and Albert Stewart, of Allport, were Clearfield county boys enlisted in the regular army at DuBois Monday last.

After June 1st everything will be strictly cash, Schmit's Bakery.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Summerville Telephone Company

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Summerville Telephone Company will be held in the Company's office at Brookville, Pennsylvania, July 2nd, 1918, at two o'clock P. M. for the purpose of receiving or disavowing an agreement to buy and own the capital stock and to receive the franchise, property, rights and credits of the West Milford Telephone Company, for the purpose of continuing the line of the Summerville Telephone Company and for the transaction of any and all business necessary or desirable in connection therewith.

W. N. JENNARD, Secretary, Brookville, Pa. M29-3c

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNA.

Eva Boyer vs Robert H. Boyer

Divorce from bed and board

John H. Boyer

Plaintiff vs Defendant

Case No. 100

Filed for Record

John H. Boyer

Defendant

By the Court

John H. Boyer

Plaintiff

John H. Boyer

Defendant

John H. Boyer

Plaintiff

Leitzinger Bros. Store Will Observe Decoration Day By Closing All Day

Thereby giving all an opportunity to attend Memorial services for those who have died for America's sake—to pay a fitting tribute to the living heroes of past wars and to our own brave boys who are "over there" or are ready to go, offering the supreme gift—their lives, to save civilization, to save America, their families and their homes.

OUR STORE WILL BE OPEN FOR BUSINESS
WEDNESDAY EVENING

Leitzinger Bros.

FIRE SALE

On Saturday morning, June 1st we will place on sale hundreds of hardware articles which suffered damage in our recent fire. Some are only slightly damaged, mostly by smoke and water, but we are going to give our customers the benefit of our misfortune.

Prices Will Run From 1-3 to 1-2 Off

We cannot enumerate nor describe the articles here. Each lot will be plainly marked and conveniently placed for quick selling, with additional sales people to attend to your wants.

A request:—Please do not telephone orders for fire sale goods—come and see them, and please come prepared to carry with you small packages.

CLEARFIELD HARDWARE CO.,

125 Market St Clearfield, Pa.

Will Be At Hahn Store

C. O. Peacock & Co. of Fifth Avenue, New York, will be at L. S. Hahn's Millinery Store, Market street, Friday and Saturday of this week with an exceptional line of gingham, robes, linen and Gorgette dresses. Peacock & Co. did a large business on the occasion of their first visit early in the season. Their collection of summer models is the very best shown and will surpass in style and value anything seen this season.

Included in the showing will be several styles of capes and jackets now so popular in New York City, also a clever line of satin dresses, which are selling remarkably well. The showing is authoritative and can be depended upon as the really smart rogue of the moment.

Miss. Hahn

Closed Tomorrow

In order that Memorial Day may be fittingly observed we will be closed all day tomorrow.

Open Tonight

So that you may make any last minute purchases for the holiday.

Brown's Boot Shop

Clearfield
DuBois Indiana Punxsutawney

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"YALP? ROINES EHT"

GLOBE THEATRE

TONIGHT

Word-Pictures Present
 Carlyle Blackwell, Muriel Ostriche,
 Evelyn Greeley in
"THE GOOD FOR NOTHING"
 Oh boy, Oh joy, here's the film for
 you. Giggles and snorts, ripples and
 sales of laughter follow the progress
 of Jack, the good-for-nothing, thru
 his career as shown in this picture.
 Your attention is gripped at the very
 start of this picture and held to the
 very end.

Special Vitaphone Comedy
"BABES AND BOOBS"

Music by the Orchestra
 Shows start 1, 2.30, 4, 6.30, 8, 9.30
 Matinee 10c and 15c Night 15c

COMING TOMORROW

Special World Feature
 George Beban with all star cast in
"PAWN OF FATE"
 5 Wonderful Acts

"THE MYSTERY SHIP"
 Episode No. 13

COLLEGE OF MUSIC COMMENCEMENT

Invitations are out for the Susquehanna College of Music commencement to be held Friday night, May 31st, in the college auditorium at 8.30 o'clock. The program promises to be one of the best ever given by the institution. The three young ladies receiving certificates this year are Miss Pilkington of Curwensville, Miss Kline and Way of Clearfield.

Aside from the several piano selections they will render, there will be a number of songs by the advanced pupils of the vocal department and selections by the College orchestra. Rev. C. W. Baker will deliver the address.

A cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the College but on account of the limited seating capacity of the auditorium no children under 12 will be admitted unless pupils of the College or accompanied by their parents or friends.

CURWENSVILLE CITIZEN IN HOSPITAL

Levi J. LaPorte, of Curwensville, the newspaper writer and historian, went to the Clearfield hospital this morning, where he will undergo a course of medical treatment and observation. He has been in failing health for some time and his host of friends hope for his speedy restoration to perfect health.

TORNADO IN COOPER TOWNSHIP

A tornado swept over a part of Cooper township Saturday night last causing a great deal of havoc and destruction. The large barn of John Hoover on the old Jeremiah Hoove homestead farm was in the path of the tornado which picked off the roof and carried it bodily several hundred feet distant into the woods.

ANOTHER DIVORCE ASKED FOR

John C. Arnold, Esq., filed a petition in the Prothonotary's office this morning on behalf of Mrs. Annie Rosenstrader in which she asks a divorce from her husband Julius Rosenstrader. The reason advanced is cruel and barbarous treatment.

MEMORIAL DAY AT CURWENSVILLE

Curwensville people will celebrate Memorial day tomorrow with appropriate exercises in Oak Hill cemetery at 2 o'clock p. m. William I. Swoope of Curwensville, will deliver the oration and both bands will be present to furnish the music.

Workman's Cash Stores at Clearfield, Philipsburg, Osceola, Houtzdale will give 5 per cent. on Saturday for benefit Red Cross.

Persperina

The warm weather with its attendant uncomfortable perspiration need have no terrors for you if you'll use this deodorant.

Almost instant in its action and lasting in effects. You may go through the heated term without discomfort at any sort.

STEWART'S DRUG STORE
 The San Tox Store

DEMOCRACY VS. FINE WRITING

The Latter Is, Beyond All Question, Dependent Upon the Respect of the Former.

I do not agree with the pessimists who think that a democratic civilization is necessarily an enemy to fine writing in the Century. Such critics underestimate the challenge which these millions of minds to be reached and souls to be touched must possess that writers, like actors, are inspired by a crowded house.

But the thought and the labor and the pain that lie behind good writing are doubly difficult in an atmosphere of easy tolerance and good natured condescension on the part of the readers of the completed work.

The novel is the test case for democratic literature. We cannot afford to pay its practitioners with cash merely, for cash discriminates in quantity and little more. Saul and David were judged by the numbers of their thousands slain; but the test was a crude one for them and cruder still in fiction. We cannot afford to patronize these novelists as our ancestors did before us. Not prizes or endowments or coteries worship or, certainly, more advertising is what the American novelist requires, but a greater respect for his craft.

The Elizabethan playwright was frequently despised of the learned world, and, if a favorite, not always a respected one of the vulgar. Strange that learned and vulgar alike should repeat the fallacy in disparaging the pre-eminent popular art of our own times! To Sir Francis Bacon "Hamlet" was presumably only a play actor's play. If the great American story should arrive at last, would we not call it "only a novel"?

BREEDING SHEEP FOR FUR

Production of "Persian Lamb" May Be Added to the Industries of the United States.

In far-away Bokhara, a town and district in Asiatic Russia that has a half-mythical sound to American ears, "Persian" lambs have been grown for ages for the tightly curled, lustrous-black fleeces that constitute the warm cover of the natives. And so the fashion of wearing Persian lamb and astrakhan has come down from the ages until women in all civilized lands where the winters are cold seek their warmth, and fashion's decree has made them so popular that the cost of Persian lamb has gone up 142 per cent in 15 years.

It must have been instinct—it could not have been foreknowledge—that a world war would entail commerce—that made an American decide a few years ago to try breeding the sort of sheep that bear the highly prized fleeces, on his 1,900-acre ranch near Cottonwood Falls, Kan. He reasoned that if they could be bred in Asia, they could be bred in Kansas, and so thoroughly did he believe in the proposition that he invested \$35,000 in karakul sheep from Bokhara. These he crossed with native Lincoln-bred sheep, and the lambs of this cross bear the valuable pelts that hitherto have been imported almost exclusively from Russia.—Robert H. Moulton in Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Clear Roads for Dispatch Bearer.

After grading upon the auto truck cover of a recent issue a saddened and cynical reader wrote to Collier's Weekly: "You have made a great mistake. You have placed all the army trucks on the side of the road, leaving ample room for trucks going in the opposite direction to travel without going down in the ditch. My experience with army motor trucks is that they always travel on the crown of the road, and when you see one on the side of the road you can figure that it is broken down."

Collier's replied: "Be this observation true or not, there is one being before whom even the ruthless and disdainful truck driver quails—the dispatch rider. There is no more soul-satisfying sight for a harassed pedestrian in the French war zone than that of a dispatch motorcycle shooting down a road at 80 miles an hour, with a two-mile line of motor trucks and staff cars scuttling hastily into the ditches to get out of the way."

Reichstag Has Little Power.

Of the 397 members of the reichstag, Prussia sends 236. The body can be dissolved at any time by the Bundesrat with the consent of the emperor. This power has been used effectively three times to break down the resistance of the reichstag—in 1878, when it refused to pass the bill to suppress the socialists; in 1887, when it would not agree to fix the size of the army for seven years; and in 1903, when it declined to change the military system. In each case the new body did what the government demanded. Since the principal financial arrangements are matters of standing law, if the reichstag refuses to pass a new budget increasing allowances, or passes one reducing them, the government can be carried on the old basis without any action on the part of parliament.

Crude Booths Take Place of Dinners.

Dining cars being unknown on certain railroads along the west coast of Mexico, crude booths are provided on various station platforms, where food is served. They consist of loose pieces of canvas supported by poles, beneath which are tables and chairs. The trains wait while the passengers eat the none-too-appetizing fare.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

The San Francisco Seal champion of the Pacific Coast league last year got away to a bad start this season.

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barton and family left today for Templeton, Pa., where they expect to make their future home. Mr. Barton is located there with the Harbison and Walker Ref. Co.

Miss Ruth Collins has accepted a position in the cashier's office in Leitzinger Bros. store.

Mrs. D. D. Long of Olanta was shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Lefevre of Ephrata, Lancaster, Pa., is visiting her son Clarence Lefevre and family.

William Wrayley left last evening for Washington, D. C., where he is stationed with the Ordnance department after being home on furlough to visit his wife and little daughter.

Warren Rowles of New Millport transacted business in town today.

Miss Mame Hartzfeld has returned from Pittsburgh where she has been spending the past few weeks.

A. I. Bell of Mahaffey returned home today after attending court this week.

Wm. Chase of Smith Mill was juror here this week and returned home today.

J. B. Gelnet, of Rockton, was a juror here this week.

W. H. Overdorf returned to his home in DuBois today after attending to business here this week.

W. I. Swoope returned last evening from a business trip to Philadelphia.

Mrs. Reuben Kester of Newtown and mother Mrs. E. M. Davis, of Grampian are visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Mrs. Maines Bowes and family of Nichol street left today for Howard to spend the week end with relatives. Blair Kephart, of Montgomery, Pa., was a Clearfield business visitor today.

Joseph Shoff, of Madera, transacted business in town today.

Mrs. M. B. Smith and son Blair of West Moshannon were in Clearfield yesterday attending to business.

John Scollins of Houtzdale, transacted business in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boulton and son Harold will spend Decoration day at their former home in Houtzdale.

Heber Straw accompanied A. W. Lee to Ashville, N. C. They will make the return trip in Mr. Lee's car.

George Patchell has returned to his home in Philadelphia after spending several days with Harry Boulton at his home on Turnpike avenue.

Tomorrow being feast of Corpus Christi, mass in the St. Francis church will be at eight o'clock in the morning.

Mrs. Marie Mignot left this morning to spend a couple of days with C. E. Glenn and family at Evans City enroute to Cayahoga Falls, Ohio, where she is in training at the sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Banks Smith left today for an auto trip to Watonsont where they will spend Decoration day.

Miss Hazel Irwin left today for her home in Irwin to spend Decoration day.

Miss Orrell Davis is visiting at the home of her uncle G. J. Weber in Troutville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin arrived home last evening from Chicago, Ill., where they were attending the Grand Council of the Royal Arcanum, Mr. Martin being one of the eight representatives from the State of Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip B. Reed left this morning for an auto trip to Philadelphia where Mr. Reed will attend to business for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell, Jr., arrived home yesterday from an auto trip to Lewistown where they spent several days visiting friends.

Mrs. Bert Charlton and daughters are visiting relatives in Munson.

Word has been received that John Beahan Jr. has arrived safely in France.

Miss Almada Humell returned to her home in Big Run yesterday after visiting her sister Mrs. M. J. Fillhart of Ogden avenue for a few days.

C. J. Lewis of O'Shanter visited Cecil Read at Coalport this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Lewis, Mrs. James Orman, Mrs. James Johnson and Mrs. Rummings, of O'Shanter motored to Clearfield yesterday and were shopping in our stores.

Mrs. James Sneddon of O'Shanter was among the out of town shoppers here today.

Mrs. D. C. Hipps and Mrs. Harry Peterman of Lumber City, are shopping in town today.

NO ADVANCE IN PRICE

NEURALGIA
 For quick results
 rub the forehead
 and temples with
VICK'S VAPORUB
 25c—50c—\$1.00

TIGHTWADS DOWN IN GOSHEN, TOO

May 28th, 1918.

Dear Mr. Editor—

Referring to your editorial of May 27th, where you offer apologies about a former editorial which applied to some "tight" farmers of Lawrence township, who for some reason would not contribute money for war purposes, I desire to offer the good citizens who "did come across" consolation in the fact that their township is not the only township that has a "tightwad"; that their neighbor township, Goshen, has one that if all the citizens of the township knew it they no doubt would celebrate the date of his departure if he would only leave.

This unapologetic citizen was visited by a member of the Red Cross committee and asked for a contribution, the amount of which was not mentioned. He offered many excuses, among them that he was a poor man himself (which he is not), that when he was sick nobody ever came to help him, and he had no assurance that they ever would; that he was too poor to help in a cause of this kind; that he really needed help himself. Now, if he could have had his facial expression the committee might of believed his story. Before the committee had time to tell him why he should contribute something, and that the contributions that had been asked were very small, he "beat it". Said "I must look after my cows." Wow! The committee felt like fifteen cents but they had to take it.

Now the interesting part. Another committee member called on him two days afterward and stated their business. "Sorry," he said, "I was waited on the other day by another committee; you are too late." And that other committee is still waiting, and no doubt will continue to wait. It seems that a card index should be kept of these people. Surely something should be done to arouse their patriotism. Surely they have American blood in them; perhaps they don't understand that we are in war with a powerful European nation. Perhaps they never knew that men, women and children, citizens of our country, have been murdered in cold blood on the high seas; murdered apparently with the same spirit that the savage slayed the pioneer in this country one hundred years ago.

If these people were summoned to appear before a United States court and listen to a lecture on patriotism, perhaps they would see things in a different light.

Red Cross Soliciting Committee

RED CROSS GIRLS

Louise Sheeder, Margaret Shapiro, Lenore Hays had an ice cream cream stand in front of Sheeder's music store yesterday and realized a nice sum for the Red Cross. They will keep open house for the same cause today and tomorrow.

SOLDIERS' WIVES OR WIDOWS

All widows or wives of soldiers of the Civil war are expected to participate in the Memorial Day parade tomorrow. Mayor John M. Chase is arranging for automobiles for them and all should report to him or Miss Millicent Bigler.

SURPRISE PARTY

About fifteen of the friends of Mrs. Helen Livingston gathered at her home on Market street last evening and gave her a delightful surprise party.

The evening was most enjoyably spent in sewing, playing games and dancing until a late hour when refreshments were served.

LOST—A gold watch fob consisting of a two dollar and a half gold piece on an inch chain. Lost somewhere on the streets of Clearfield. Valued as a gift from a soldier brother in France. Handsome reward if returned to Jack Hudson, R. D. 5 or to the Progress office. M29-3t

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Incidentally they have been the means of introducing American machinery, scientific apparatus and other manufactures into their country.

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"YALP? ROINES EHT"

Why
 do you continue to risk your all without adequate fire protection when we will gladly explain any feature that you may not understand?

Helmhold & Stewart
 Snyder Block

ANOTHER SAD SIDE OF WAR

Many Men Who Have Won Honors Have Lost Comrades and Feel Lack of Companionship.

An American was sitting in Simpson's restaurant recently having dinner when a hardy man in Canadian uniform started to converse with him. The Canadian was working in a large automobile factory in Windsor when the war started, but enlisted in a Canadian regiment and has been in five of the worst battles of the war. Hardly a handful of the men who started with him are still on the roster. This particular soldier was about to leave for the trenches again after completing his leave. There was nothing remarkable in that, but this is his story:

Inside his coat he wore the Victoria Cross. He got it at Ypres, where he carried a captain three hundred feet through No Man's Land with bullets flying all about him. He has no acquaintances in England. He hasn't a relative in the world. He was just hungering for some one to talk to when he saw the American. He reluctantly showed his decoration, and said it would give him great happiness if he had some one somewhere in the world who was close enough to him to slap him on the back and say, "Good, old chap!"

Still he wasn't maudlin about it. He was just one of thousands who are carrying honors around with them and have no relative or intimate friend to congratulate them. It's war.

This particular soldier said as he left X—

"If I ever get through I'm going back to the States, but the odds are against me. We can't always beat this fighting game. It's like roulette. It gets you in the long run. There is only one man of my original company left besides myself."—London Mail.

TO RESTORE PERSIA'S STATUS

Russian Bolshevik Authorities Announce Intention of Giving It Its Former Independence.

A little more than ten years ago, in 1907, Persia ceased to be a sovereign nation in anything but name and was resolved into twin "spheres of influence." The northern half was a Russian sphere, the southern half British. The pressure from north and south grew until it forced out the American, Morgan Shuster, who had come to put Persia on its financial feet.

That was an incident of imperialism. It was a British-Russian alliance to block off Germany from getting into Persia from the west by way of Turkey and the Berlin-Bagdad line. Under the Queensberry stroke of imperialism it was a fair stroke, with plenty of historical precedent, says the Boston Globe.

Now the foreign minister of a Russian government that has no regard for imperialism and its rules has sent word to Persia that the 1907 agreement is all off, null and void, and that Russia will now try to relieve her of Turkish and British troops, too.

In announcing this doctrine of Persia for the Persians, and putting it into practice, the Russian bolshevik government immeasurably strengthened the position it took at Brest-Litovsk and at Petrograd in demanding liberation for all subject nationalities.

It is fair to say that the British ministry today would be slow to apply the mailed fist of imperialism as in Persia in 1907. Much water has flowed under the bridges since, and the imperialistic tide is ebbing fast.

British Geological Photos.

A committee of the British Association for the Advancement of Science has been engaged for many years in forming a national collection of photographs illustrating the geology of the British Isles. According to the last report the collection now includes upward of 5,600 pictures. More than a thousand of these were taken in Yorkshire. A collection of the same character has been made by the geological survey of Great Britain, which has recently published a list of its Scottish pictures. Both the B. A. committee and the geological survey offer prints and lantern slides for sale. The Tunbridge Wells Natural History society offers prizes for photographs of scenery illustrating geological features.—Scientific American.

Siamese Study in United States.

About fifteen students from Siam have registered at American educational institutions this year to qualify in the professions of law, medicine and civil engineering. Several such students have in the past graduated from American colleges and engineering schools and are now employed by their own government in important public works.

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"YALP? ROINES EHT"

Store Closed All Day Memorial Day. Will Close Tonight 6 P. M.

The Most Complete Summer Apparel Shop in This Community

Perhaps we should have said, "we believe this is the most complete." But never have we made such elaborate preparations to meet a great demand. Particularly true of sports styles.

New Silk Suits

Rich in the new colorings, in silk poplin, taffeta and Faille, plain shades. These are included in our great Suit Sale, former prices were \$35.00 to \$55.00. Prices now are **\$29.75 to \$39.75**

A. W. Leonardson Co.

JUNE LIST STARTS TOMORROW

We will list the June list here tomorrow and continue to give you the good ones all during the month.

2nd St. **SHEEDER'S MUSIC HOUSE** Clearfield



Complete Storage Battery Service

No more idle cars while waiting for battery troubles to be corrected. We have installed a complete storage battery station and are the sole representatives in Clearfield and Centre counties for the

U. S. L. Storage Batteries

Our service is complete. We can re-charge and repair any storage battery. We can equip any ordinary car at a moments notice with a storage battery of national repute. We can rent you a battery while yours is being repaired or re-charged, in fact, such complete battery service has never been known in this vicinity before.

Experienced men in charge of installations and repairs.

Clearfield Storage Battery Company

Third St. Clearfield, Pa.

WEDDED AT PETERSBURG, VA.

A wedding in which two Clearfield young people were participants was celebrated at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., on May 15th last. The contracting parties were John Irvin and Miss Maude Cochran, a well known Third Ward young couple, the groom being one of the recent national army recruits from district No. 1. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. R. Stribling, of the Table Red Cross solicitors, approached them street Presbyterian church, Petersburg, Va.

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CALDWELL MINE EMPLOYEES ALRIGHT

The miners employed at Caldwell mine, near Curwensville, refuse to take a back seat from any other mine or community when it comes down to a matter of patriotic citizenship or "doing their bit" in these war times. The Caldwell mine boys have nobly responded to every appeal in behalf of their government and when the by Rev. C. R. Stribling, of the Table Red Cross solicitors, approached them on this second war fund drive every man went down into his jeans and subscribed an average of \$5 per man or a total of \$216.00 which sure is a fine showing.

Put that want ad in the Progress and get results.

SAMMIES SHOUT "WE'RE ON OUR WAY TO BERLIN" AS THEY TAKE VILLAGE

FIRST SUCCESS OF AMERICAN FORCE ENCOURAGES BRITISH AND FRENCH

FRANCO-BRITISH TROOPS FORCED BY SUPERIOR NUMBERS TO GIVE MORE GROUND IN THE VICINITY OF SOISSONS

AMERICAN LOSS IS VERY LIGHT

"We are in Germany, on our way to Berlin," was the piercing American cry which rose above the din of battle at Cantigny as the Americans took that important town and 182 Boche prisoners today. They are now consolidating their gains in the face of heavy enemy attempts to wrest back the lost territory. Two German heavy counter attacks were broken up by the Americans, according to official announcement of the French war office at noon today. British and French at their respective headquarters in the trenches gave way to wild joy as reports of the victory and word that the Yankees held their own against terrific blows of the enemy. All the Allied leaders saw great promise in this first big success of the American forces.

Cantigny is an important occupied town and lies behind the German lines. It has been under heavy bombardment by the Americans for several days. French officers were high in their praise of the splendid spirit shown. No hesitancy was shown by the American regiment—numbering more than 3,000 men—that carried out the assault. They went over the top at the blow of the whistle, in 45 minutes completing their job of cleaning out the Boche. Many Germans ran toward the Americans in groups of ten and twenty yelling "kamerad". In one instance a German machine gun nest of thirty was taken by the Americans. Every chance was given the Huns to play fair. When trickery was discovered no mercy was given. The American success was the most important in the last 48 hours, even though some of the moves on the western front checker board elsewhere range above it in strategical importance.

Its effect of the allied forces on the western front sector is expected to be profound. German morale must suffer a terrible slump.

While the American forces in France held their own the Franco-British army opposing the German big drive at Soissons and Reims today gave further ground. The French war office reported the falling back of the French left to the eastern border of Soissons. "The French left was driven back to the eastern border of the Soissons where the battle is going on furiously," the communique said. Heroic defense of Vesle heights by the French continued today. The Germans have advanced at least 9 miles in depth at some points since the resumption of the drive. Heavy fighting today centered over a front of 186 miles with heavy artillery action on the Meuse and in the Lorraine sector where American forces are in the line. Failure of German raids north of Baden-Villers where American troops are fighting was reported. General Haig reported nothing but minor attacks up to noon. The Echo d Paris today carried a dispatch saying that the Germans have advanced at some points to a depth of 15 1-2 miles. This would indicate that its correspondent at the front had received accounts of fresh gains not yet admitted by the French war office. United Press dispatches received up to noon did not confirm this. Enemy reinforcements were hurled into action. Several additional divisions were noted by Allied observers.

With The American Army In France, May 29.—American losses in the battle of Cantigny were slight, it was officially announced today. Artillery activity has increased in all sectors held by the American troops.

68 MEN TO LEAVE FOR OGLETHORPE NEXT SATURDAY

An order received by Chief Clerk Bain last evening changes the time for the next contingent to leave Clearfield on Saturday June 1st, at 12:00 a. m. These men, who will go to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and are required to report in Clearfield Friday afternoon May 31st, at 2 o'clock. Their names follow:

- 1184 John Raymond Sones, Zarepath, N. J.
- 1241 William Streible, Winburne
- 1252 John Bobby, Jr., Winburne
- 1344 Perri Begonini, Clearfield
- 1363 Herbert Roop, Hawk Run
- 1365 Charles Wm. Martell, LeContes Mills, Pa.
- 1370 Lawrence A. Folmar, Grass Flat
- 1376 Lincoln McKelly, Clearfield
- 1384 James Mitchell, Jr., Clearfield
- 1394 Boyd Hollabaugh, Wallacetown
- 1405 Thos. D. Beers, Grampian
- 1413 Chas. Robt. Brown, Munson
- 1421 Frank Foreforest, Clearfield
- 1439 John Smotzer, Philipsburg
- 1439 Ernest Strange, Youngstown
- 1440 Reginald Stevens, Woodland
- 1445 George J. Carley, Munson, R.
- 1456 Fred H. Charles, Curwensville
- 1455 Edward Hamilton, Hawk Run
- 1457 Albert Lyle Row, Clearfield
- 1460 Godfred Wasson, Munson
- 1467 Mitro Hondoga, Hawk Run
- 1468 Benjamin Hainey, Shawville
- 1471 Walter Eisenhauer, Grass Flat
- 1472 Gennaro Bruno, Irvona
- 1473 Charles Poole, Clearfield
- 1475 Chas. Blair Davis, Clearfield
- 1480 Julius Fountain, Hawk Run
- 1481 Carlo Lezzerni, Curwensville
- 1482 Hilary C. Liggay, Frenchville
- 1488 Mike Botcho, Morrisdale
- 1490 Axel E. Johnson, Grass Flat
- 1494 Arthur G. Wipk, Glass Flat
- 1495 Armand Tatonnani, Clearfield
- 1499 Thos. E. Pike, Woodland
- 1509 August Kilbassa, Munson
- 1511 Wm. H. Beely, Hawk Run
- 1513 John A. Sargent, Woodland
- 1514 Gust Swanson, Lansie
- 1516 Charley B. Juty, LeContes Mills

The following District No. 2 contingent will leave DuBois for Fort Oglethorpe on Saturday:

- Alfred P. Swisher, DuBois
- Gennario Sigorelli, Tyler
- Charles S. Beitz, Mahaffey
- Charles Gaerbero, Curwensville
- George Shupeins, DuBois
- Jesse V. Shaffer, DuBois
- Horace W. Bouch, McGees Mills, R. D. 2
- Vaughn Bell, Bell Landing
- Nikita Martinak, Maunona, Md.
- Water Chas, DuBois, R. D. 2
- Joe M. Liplok, Hevetia
- Tony Kossal, DuBois
- Wasyi Kahna, Curwensville
- John A. Lyons, DuBois, R. D. 2
- Dae G. Sheffield, DuBois
- John Allen, Johnstown
- Albert Miranno, DuBois, R. D. 3
- Thomas Dixon, DuBois
- Thomas Dixon, DuBois
- Fred A. Arvickson, DuBois
- Joseph Romeo, DuBois
- David Hirsch, Williamsport
- Austin J. Dertz, DuBois
- Frank Cherivitch, DuBois, R. 2
- Allesan'io Crimini, DuBois, R. 3

The following men will leave for Ft. Oglethorpe, Georgia, Saturday, June 1, 1918 at 8:37 a. m., from District No. 3 at Houtzdale.

- Homar Vaughn Fox, Ramey Pa.
- Leo H. Kruse, Rosbud
- Patricia Leamosa, Medora
- Roy Eakins, Fallon Timber
- Daniel Hennessy, Houtzdale
- Howard Merrill Oaks, Westover
- Chit Rowles, Olanta
- James Holmes, Osceola
- Charles Conrad, Roebud
- Panasin Gueppe, Lumber City
- Albert J. Simendinger, Houtzdale
- Charles Buth, Burnside
- Alvin F. Aldeberger, Osceola
- Evan Lewis, Smoke Run
- Ernest Gard Ginter, Smith Mills
- Walter Isaac King, Madera
- Joseph Gili, Burnside
- Harry S. Strick, Houtzdale
- George Humko, Baccara

CAN NEITHER WORK NOR FIGHT, BUT IS MAD ENOUGH TO

A burglar swiped about \$20 worth of bench tools from Andrew Hawick's harness shop last night and Andy was pretty darn mad about it this morning.

The thief abstracted a pair of galls from each of two side windows and reached in and helped himself to the tools which were in their rack along the wall.

As a result of the theft Andy was unable to do any work this morning and he is afraid he will be put in the army under General Crowder's order to work or fight before he can get a new batch of tools. Some of the articles taken were relics, too. County Commissioner Jesse Dale being authority for the statement that Andy bought part of them in 1868 when he made his first set of harness for Pete McGeorge who started that winter to cut the pine on the head of Big Trout run. He offered to prove the statement by Pete Brown and Squire Miligan, who used the harness on their supply teams at that time.

The police are investigating the robbery.

REPUBLICAN PARTY ADOPTS PLATFORM

Indianapolis, May 29—"There is for every individual and every political party but one supreme duty and this is to end the war," that was the declaration of the platform presented to the Republican State Convention in session here today by Will H. Hays, national chairman of the Republican party and chairman of the Resolutions committee.

The platform framed under Hays' directing hand contains the sentiments of the national Republican leaders. The platform makes an appeal for the right of full participation of the Republican party in war activity. "We hereby denounce any criticism of public officials high or low. The party lends itself for peace and victory and not peace by compromise. A bargain of rights which would violate American rights, interests and honour."

NEW RUBBISH DUMP

The rubbish dump located on South Fourth street, near the Pine Tree foundry of the Clearfield Machine shops, has been ordered closed by the Board of Health and after Saturday evening it will be unlawful to dump rubbish there.

A rubbish dump has been secured along Clearfield creek just above the site of the old powder mill and all rubbish must be dumped at that point hereafter.

To get to the new dump it will be necessary to travel the State road to the creek and then go up along the creek and pass under the Pennsylvania bridge to the dump.

By Order of

The Board of Health.

Clearfield, Pa., May 29, 1918.

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

The prayer meeting service this evening at eight o'clock will be in the nature of a Memorial day service. The membership and friends of the church are urged to be present. The President's Memorial day declaration will be read.

While the eastern teas of the National league have been easy picking for the Giants, the western outfits are far from a cinch for the McGrawites.

- Walter P. Geraty, Houtzdale
- Guy Carter, Osceola Mills
- Joseph Sparta, Osceola Mills
- Charles Arger, Osceola Mills
- Harry F. Saupp, Houtzdale
- Clyd N. Ginter, Coalport
- Spalato Vincenzo, Chester Hill
- Winton P. O.
- Substitutes
- Joseph J. Kapasta, Ramey
- Clyde T. Westover, Westover
- Joe Gabriel, Madera
- Boyle N. S. S. Smoker
- Ray M. Crank, New Milport
- Robert P. Gallant, Rosbud

NATION PREPARED FOR THE MOST IMPRESSIVE MEMORIAL DAY

NO PAPER TOMORROW

In accordance with time-honored custom there will be no paper issued from The Progress office tomorrow.

GRANDMA'S WAY OF BAKING WON'T DO IN WARTIME

The way the demonstrator, J. V. Baker smashed a lot of grandmother's pet baking theories at the High School auditorium yesterday afternoon was enough to make that dear old lady rise up in utter protest.

These demonstrations are carried on by the Bernhard, Stern & Company, of Milwaukee, who feel that they are rendering a patriotic service to the women of this country by giving them clear instructions on how the flour substitutes can be successfully used.

The audience, though not large, made up in attention and enthusiastic interest what it lacked in numbers and there wasn't an uninteresting minute from 1:30 until nearly 5:00 p. m. when Mr. Baker brought six fluffy loaves of bread from the domestic science room showing the ladies that even the much dreaded barley could be utilized in making light palatable bread.

Note books and pencils were furnished the ladies and as Mr. Baker proceeded with his demonstration frequent notes were made of his performances and the men folks of Clearfield will probably have some of these things tried on them next baking day. Mr. Baker who, by the way is aptly named knows flour from the time it reaches the mill in raw wheat until it comes from the oven ready for the table. Having first learned the baker's trade then the millig trade he followed this with a course of chemistry as related to flour and baking in one of our leading universities.

Mr. Baker prepared six different loaves of bread. Five of them contained a single wheat flour substitute used and then he explained in simple terms the chemical action which takes place when the yeast which only acts upon the wheat flour comes in contact with the combination of the two.

According to Mr. Baker the American housewife of today is making hard work of bread baking which in fact is really easy if his instructions are carried out. He advised the use of more yeast than is ordinarily used in baking and he was also very liberal in the use of salt.

Bernhard, Stern & Sons are to be commended on the spirit behind these demonstrations for at the present time they have no flour to sell, the government taking all they can produce and limiting the supply of wheat that they should use.

Such demonstrations as these are bound to make bread baking much easier for the housewife until times become normal and it is questionable even after that whether we having become accustomed to the substitute-made bread, will not like it better than the all-wheat bread.

DAMAGE TO FLY TRAPS MUST STOP

Boys or other evil-disposed persons have been tampering with and damaging the fly traps located on the streets about town and notice is hereby given that in the future all persons caught tampering with or damaging these fly traps will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

By Order of

The Board of Health.

Clearfield, Pa., May 29, 1918.

Workman's Cash Stores at Clearfield, Philipsburg, Osceola, Houtzdale will give 5 per cent. on Saturday for benefit Red Cross.

Washington, D. C., May 29—Veterans of the civil and Spanish-American wars and members of the various women's auxiliaries and other patriotic societies here have competed arrangements for the annual observance tomorrow of what will be the most impressive Memorial Day the nation has seen in years. Combined with the customary exercises in memory of the heroes of long ago there will be an impressive tribute to the memory of those who have given their lives in the present great conflict for freedom and democracy.

The principal exercises in this vicinity will be held at the national military cemetery at Arlington, across the Potomac from Washington, where sleep 22,000 of the nation's dead, Federal officers and soldiers and Confederate officers and soldiers side by side.

Arlington is the greatest of the national cemeteries and perhaps the most beautiful burial ground in all the country. Within its confines rest the soldiers of many wars. Revolutionary veterans and soldiers and sailors of the War of 1812 lie under the same trees that shelter their descendants killed in the great war between the states and those who gave up their lives in Cuba and the Philippines. Soldiers who met death at the hands of the Seminole or Sioux sleep side by side, and with them are the men who fell in the war with Mexico. Sailors who served on the Constitution and on the Maine are interred at Arlington.

There are constantly being garnered in the dead of the army and navy who are still fighting, the nation's battles wherever the service calls. There are legions of dead in Arlington and the number is constantly increasing, but on Memorial Day not one of the multitude will be forgotten.

To him who strolls casually through Arlington and reads the names upon the gravestones will be called up the memories of the deeds of such men as General Phil Sheridan, Grant's chief of cavalry, who rode that 20 miles to Winchester. There will be seen the tomb of Gen. John M. Schofield, commander of the army of the Tennessee in the Civil war and later commanding general of the army. Not far away are the last resting-places of Crook, Gresham, Gibbon, Wheeler and Herney. For seventy-one years Harney was a commissioned officer of the United States army a veteran of the old Second Dragoons. He fought in the Black Hawk and Seminole wars, in Mexico, and on the plains, and in the Northern army in the civil war.

Among the men of the navy there are to be found in Arlington names no less honored than among those of the army. There are to be found the graves of Admiral David Dixon Porter, Admiral Winfield Scott Schley, Admiral T. Sampson and Admiral "Fighting Bob" Evans.

In the very foreground of the cemetery stands a tall, spiral monument over the grave of General Joe Wheeler, that dashing leader of Confederate forces in the civil war who later in the Spanish-American controversy led the troops that bore the flag against which he had formerly fought.

In the midst of towering monuments that indicate the greatness of those that rest beneath them is to be found the grave of General Henry W. Lawton, the last of the men of his rank to meet death in the field. General Lawton was killed in the Philippines in 1899, as he pursued the outlaw Aguinaldo through the morasses of that newly acquired possession.

Occupying a prominent place in the cemetery is that most tragic of all monuments, the tomb of the unknown. Here lie the remains of more than 2,000 men who died on battlefields in the civil war. Mostly they are of that great body known as ex-tray soldiers.

Aside from these there are 4,000 other graves in Arlington that mark the remains of soldiers or sailors who were never identified. A slab with the name and company marks the grave of a known soldier, while a square stone with a number marks the unknown.

NORMAL CASUALTY LIST IS ISSUED

Washington, May 29—Thirty casualties in the American army fighting in France was reported by General Pershing today as follows: 5 killed in action, 5 died from wounds, 10 died from disease, 1 killed in accident, 7 wounded severely, and 2 missing in action. Major John H. Carnack of St. Louis, wounded severely.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING A DELIGHTFUL EVENT

About twenty-five members of the Woman's club attended the meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank B. Reed on Old Town Road last evening. The house was artistically decorated with white peonies and purple iris, and other spring flowers which are used effectively in decorative gardening. "Decorative Gardening" was the subject for the evening and some very amusing experiences were told to cultivate certain plants and bulbs. The business meeting and reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, preceded the program which Mrs. Reed opened by reading several very excellent articles on the mystery, beauty and religion of flowers. Flowers are gifts from God. They are divine messages of love, of cheer, and silently they teach us the great lesson of humility, without which there can be no real understanding of divine power.

Mrs. Charles Kurtz gave a very instructive and interesting talk on the care and culture of bulbs, and Mrs. Phil Reed gave a short talk on practical ways of helping the farmer conserve his fruit. At the close of the social hour the members were invited to the dining room where the hostess served fruit lunch and little cakes.

MOOSE CLUB TO CLOSE BUFFET

Tomorrow being Memorial day the buffet at the L. O. O. M. club will be closed all day.

By Order of Dictator

WILL LUNCH THE VETERANS

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will serve a lunch to the old soldiers in the hose house on Market street on their return from the cemetery following the Memorial Day parade.

NOTICE

All barber shops will be closed all day Memorial day. Will be in the shop before and after.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 29, 1918.

LET US REMEMBER

By Henry Dwight Sedgwick
of The Vigilantes
Memorial Day has come again. Let us retire into ourselves, and let us remember.

The settlers in this country, whether they came with Capt. John Smith, with the Pilgrims, the Puritans, the Dutch, the Quakers, or the Catholics, whether they came early in the 17th Century or whether they came in the exodus from Ireland in the lean years of the 19th, or in the flight before the reactionary dominion established in Europe after 1848, or whether they came to escape pogroms in the beginning of the 20th Century, all, in their respective way, grappled boldly with the difficulties of life, and brought their purposes to accomplishment. Let us remember.

The noblest figure of the 18th Century, be the others who they may, is that of George Washington, who in the first great trials of our national life, raised "a standard to which the wise and the just could repair" and left the issue in the hands of God. Let us remember.

The noblest figure of the 19th Century, excepting no one, is that of Abraham Lincoln, who by his heroic saintliness, his heroic patience, his heroic conception of duty, his heroic humility, led his people through the fiery trials of the civil war. Let us remember.

We have doubtless made mistakes, we have neglected duties, we have over-estimated the value of riches, we have cared too much for luxury, we have failed to establish justice for the masses, we have not brought democracy to ripeness, we have forgotten the true road; we have sought to worship both God and Mammon; but we have not let the fires of hope, that the spirit of brotherhood shall prevail among all Americans and between America and all the world, die out in our hearts. Let us remember.

Now we confront the greatest trial that our nation has faced. The strongest power in the world, built up on its military foundation, as solid as the Roman Colosseum, and animated by titanic pride and ambition, has set out to dominate the world. Let us remember George Washington, shut our teeth, and fling the scabbard away until German sense of justice shall triumph over German brutality. This means effort, effort, all the people, men and women putting all their strength into the great task, until the will of 100,000,000 people, resolute to put down wrong, shall prevail. It means sacrifice of life and limb on the plains of France, on the high seas, on the Alpine slopes of Italy, and at last, on the roads and fields of Germany. It means abstinence and self-denial at home, cutting down comfort, going without meat and wheat, without candy and sugar, without the pleasures of palate. There is something stimulating and

refreshing in self-denial and self-sacrifice. That is the lesson of Valley Forge. Let us remember it.

Can we not all together, as one people, with one voice and one heart, on Memorial Day pray:—

"May the Powers that move thru the universe and reveal themselves in the action of men, use us as their instruments for high purposes, as they used George Washington in his day and Abraham Lincoln in his day;

"May they steel our hearts to bear privation, suffering, death, until wrong shall be overthrown, and right be restored to its throne;

"May they strengthen our soldier and sailors, redouble the vigor of their bodies and the might of their souls, so that they shall compel victory to follow at their heels;

"And may we always in the time of conflict, every hour of the day and every hour of the night, remember George Washington and strike with all our National might, putting the strength of 100,000,000 people into each blow; and, in the hour of victory, remember Abraham Lincoln, and have charity for all and malice toward none."

In this state of mind we shall be the better warriors, and go to battle like Cromwell's Ironsides, confident of victory, or like Stonewall Jackson's troops, with the fear of the Lord in their hearts and the might of the Lord in their right hands. For what is the "Lord" but the confidence of a disciplined man, pure from prejudice, untainted by hatred, ennobled by charity, that he, in the place and at the time allotted to him, is serving great ends for the good of mankind?

The war must end in one, definite, simple way: the Prussian tyranny must be overthrown, Kaiser, shining armor, mailed fist, proclamations for men to shoot their fathers and brothers, exhortations to outdo the Hun, Krupp arsenals, military education, and all the devilish paraphernalia of the Imperial system, must go. For that we must endure abstinence at home; for that we must postpone the comfortable years of increased wages, fairer prices, juster salaries, and a greater equality in sharing the material good things of the earth; for that we must refrain from obstructing the national will in any way, whether by action, or partisan criticism, or in pique or peevishness, and for that we must put down obstructors with an iron hand; for that we must do all we can to send as large an army as possible to the front, to supply it as best we can with cannon, howitzers, mortars, rifles, airplanes, surgical units, Y. M. C. A. huts, with uniforms, comforts, necessities of all kinds, until the day of victory and peace shall rise.

In this uncertain world where the forces that control the destinies of men are hidden in clouds impenetrable to the human eye, where half of hu-

DEMOCRATIC TARIFF DANGEROUS TO BRICKMAKING INDUSTRY

Washington, May 28, (Special Correspondence.)—The Daily Commerce Reports, published by the Department of Commerce, for May 2, contain a number of reports from U. S. Consuls in the British Isles relative to the brick industry and brick-making machinery. Vice-consul Robert F. Frier, at Bristol, believes that his district presents an attractive field for American firms wishing to install improved methods of manufacturing and handling bricks, but he declares that "it is practically impossible for American firms to compete with British firms in supplying bricks for the European market." Consul J. N. McCune, at Glasgow, Scotland, reports that "building bricks are all made by machinery, nearly all of which is manufactured in England." Consul C. M. Hitch, Nottingham, says: "All brick-making machinery used in this country is of domestic manufacture, and there appears to be no demand for foreign-made machinery." Consul H. L. Washington, Liverpool, finds that "the machinery used for making brick in this district is of home manufacture," no foreign machinery used. The market for brick-making machinery in Dunfermline is reported to be largely controlled from the Glasgow, Edinburgh and New Castle districts. Around Bradford the English have absolute control of both the industries, brick-making and the manufacture of brick-making machinery, besides which a "fairly large export business is also done by some of the local fire-clay works, bricks being sent to South America, South Africa, Australia and the Far East." To a considerable extent they escape high freight rates because they go as ballast.

There doesn't seem to be anything very encouraging with respect to our future brick or brick-machinery exports to Great Britain. On the other hand, due to the low wages which are the rule there, it would appear that there is considerable likelihood that Great Britain will get into our own market after the war, unless something is done to protect our industry.

A few years ago the Stone-Brick Company, arguing for protective rates on bricks before the Ways and Means Committee, said: "Labor (in making bricks) generally constitutes about 90 per cent of the cost of the article. The American manufacturer has absolutely no advantage in any improved machinery or process; he is often at a disadvantage in freight rates on account of the European manufacturer being situated on the water's edge and shipping his product to American ports in ballast at a less rate than the American manufacturer has to pay the railroads."

Under the Republican law the tariff rates on bricks imported ranged from 24 to 35 per cent ad valorem, i. e., the specific rate applied to the value per ton on importations. The Democratic law, at present in force, cut the whole brick schedule, with the exception of one glazed brick, to 10 per cent ad valorem. The present law was in force nine months of the fiscal year ended June 30, 1914, and during that fiscal year our imports of ordinary brick increased about 75 per cent over the preceding fiscal year under protective rates.

We have had opinions from a majority of the tariff commission recently, of which the following, from Mr. W. S. Culbertson, is a sample: "From the standpoint of the tariff, wages per man here compared with wages per man in foreign countries are relatively of small significance." Mr. Culbertson says "difference in the rate of wages have comparatively little to do with trade." Apply those two statements to the making of bricks. If 90 per cent of the cost of making bricks goes to labor, and we have no advantage over our European competitors in any process or machinery, while their wage scale is about one-third that paid by us to our laborers in the brick yards, who, logically, would win out in competition for the American market? And what applies to bricks applies with more or less equal force to thousands of other commodities, the maximum manufacture of which, by our own country, spells prosperity.

DEVELOPING FINE CALVES

Paris Island, S. C., May 29—Wuxtry! The U. S. marines have conquered Lulu Fada without loss of life or firing a shot! Only minor injuries sustained to the extent of a few sore muscles—a really remarkable record taking into consideration that "Lulu" is one of the most difficult of modern society dances.

The Lulu ada consists of a maze of whirls, dips, twists and quite often, "dops" on the part of the participant. It was introduced to the seashore by one of their physical instructors, who, prior to, casting in the marine corps, was a prominent New York dancing instructor.

"The dance, which one of the most difficult known, is a wonderful developer of the leg muscles and the men in training here are being aided greatly by it," declared the ex-dancing master.

THIRD WARD FIREMEN

All Third Ward Firemen are requested to turn out for the parade on Memorial day. We are asked to report at the borough building, Market street, Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Make a special effort to be there.

WALTER SWAILES

Foreman

M. M. Condon, Sec'y.

KARTHAUS GIRLS ARE

HUSTLERS

The Red Cross war fund was made \$11,110 richer as the result of a festival was held at Karthaus Saturday evening last. This festival was one of the most successful affairs of the kind held in the county and the committee in charge, Misses Jean Briel, Rebecca Hufwutz, Mary Hurwitz, Esther Renaud and Eric Knarr are deserving of every praise for the success of their efforts.

A BUM RECORD

Clearfield county with a record of \$1.33 per capita has the poorest record of any county in the state, with the exception of Susquehanna, in the purchase of Thrift stamps. We are not proud of this record, are you?

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Indigestion, Biliousness, Headache, Constipation, etc. Sold by Druggists Everywhere.

EAST END COMMUNITY MEMORIAL

There will be a community memorial service held on the 4th Ward school lawn on Thursday, May 30, at 10 o'clock a. m. There will be a parade led by the Italian band, followed by the Elk House Co. Next in line will be the 4th Ward school, the citizens, Keir Addition drum corps, and the Italian and colored people of the community. Let every one who desires to take part in the service meet at the 4th Ward school house promptly at 9:45 a. m. The parade will be under the supervision of Chief Marshal C. G. Wilson and his aides. The line of march will begin promptly at 10 o'clock a. m. from the school ground down to Dorey, to 13th street, thence to Daisy, to Daisy to 6th, thence to Dorey, to the school ground, where the following program will be rendered:

Selection by the Band
"America" Congregation
Prayer Rev. J. E. Ott
"Battle Hymn of the Republic" Congregation

Address Rev. Collin
Prayer and Benediction Rev. B. J. Hammel
Music by the Band

Rev. Wessinger will have charge of the program and conduct the music. Let there be a general turnout of the whole community. Foreign Allies and colored people will be made welcome.

SENIOR CLASS RECEPTION AND PICNIC

The Senior class reception will be held at the High School Wednesday evening at 8:30 p. m. The Senior class picnic will be held at Engler on Thursday.

AN OLD TIME WOLF STORY

Do not fail to read Lew J. LaPorte's true story regarding a happening in the early history of the Curwensville region. It will give you an idea of the hardship our early pioneers suffered.

WHEN CHILDREN CRY OUT

When a child cries out for help, it is often because it is in pain. It may be a simple cold, or it may be a serious illness. It is important to know when to seek help and how to care for the child. The following are some signs that a child may be in pain: crying, fever, loss of appetite, and irritability. If you notice any of these signs, it is best to consult a doctor.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the West Millville Telephone Company

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the West Millville Telephone Company, will be held in the Company's office at Brookville, Pennsylvania, July 10, 1918, at two thirty o'clock P. M., for the purpose of amending or discontinuing, in whole or in part, the capital stock, and transferring its franchise, property, rights and credits to the Summerville Telephone Company, for the purpose of connecting the lines of the two companies into a continuous line, and for the transaction of any and all business necessary or desirable to carry out the foregoing.

H. B. HARGREAVE, Secretary
W. N. CONRAD, Attorney
Brookville, Pa.

RUSSELL PAUL IS PAPA

Russell Paul, the popular young tenor or al artist, now located at Wexford, is rejoicing over the fact that early Sunday morning the Stark boat to his home a fine 1-2 p. m. daily. Mr. Paul's wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Stark of Glasgow.

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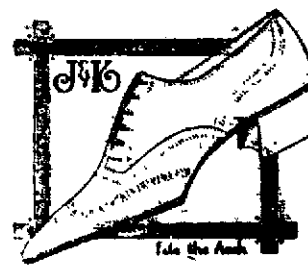
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Following our usual custom we will be open this evening for you so that any last minute needs may be supplied.

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News for Housewives

IN accordance with their long established policy of furnishing users of 20 Mule Team Borax products with practical aid on housekeeping problems, the

PACIFIC COAST BORAX COMPANY

announces that a corps of their expert demonstrators will shortly visit the homes in this locality and personally explain the many household uses of the

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This valuable service is free and every housewife should avail herself of it. Information regarding the obtaining of

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will also be furnished by the demonstrator during her visit. Watch for her. It will pay you.

There is a likelihood that some of our well-disposed people who might want to contribute to the Second Red Cross War Fund, may be overlooked, and such of our people are earnestly asked to either hand their subscription in to Red Cross Headquarters, or send it by mail. We will try not to overlook anybody, but don't wait to be seen. Send it in.

Classified Ads For Everybody

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A girl or elderly woman for general housework in family of three. Good wages. Telephone Phillipsburg 907-22. M25-1r

WANTED—Girl to do kitchen work at F. B. Wilson's, 216 Reed St., Clearfield, Pa. M27-1t

YOUNG MAN Wanted to work in drug store. An excellent chance to learn pharmacy. Apply at once to Stewart Drug company. M29-1r

WANTED—Restaurant clerk. Apply Palace hotel, Clearfield, Pa. M29-3c

WANTED—Reliable woman to do housework on farm. Inquire at office. M29-3t-pd.

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WANTED—Washings to do at home. Call at No. 8, 5th street. Mrs. Melissa Snoke. M23-1wp

WANTED—5,000 old feather beds, highest cash prices paid. Write postal to Pullman Feather Co., care Progress, Clearfield, Pa. A2-6mo

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—House at Kerr addition at a bargain. Inquire at Progress. M23-1w-pd

FOR SALE—Columbia Grafonola nearly new, will sacrifice to quick cash buyer. Good reason for selling. Call 209 North street. M25-3tp

FOR SALE—House and lot on East Main street. Inquire at Knapp and Snyder Jewelry Store. M23-1w

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Moving west. Bargains. Inquire 330 Market street. M25-1r

FOR SALE—Motorcycle in good condition will be sold cheap. At a reasonable price. Call D. L. care Progress. M27-2tp

FOR SALE—A brown reed baby carriage in good condition. Inquire at Progress. M28-3t-ch

FOR SALE—Royal Red Cross Range in first class condition, used 2 1/2 years. A bargain if taken at once. Also about 8 yards linoleum. Inquire A. B. C. Progress. M29-1f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Room for light house keeping. Man and wife without children preferred. Call No. 8 5th street Mrs. Melissa Snoke. M23-1wp

FOR RENT—Pasture field in Paradise. Will rent for cows or young cattle. Inquire R. D. Dale. M28-2tc

LOST

LOST—Pocketbook in Curwensville Monday between Boston Store and L. W. Spencer's Store. Finder please return same to Guy Clark, Curwensville. M29-2t-pd

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NOTHING ELSE LIKE IN CLEARFIELD

There has never been anything in Clearfield with the INSTANT action of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika. ONE SPOONFUL flushes the ENTIRE bowel tract, so completely it relieves ANY CASE, sour stomach, gas or constipation and prevents appendicitis. The INSTANT, pleasant action of Adler-ika surprises both doctors and patients. C. W. Dooley, Druggist.

Workman's Cash Stores at Clearfield, Phillipsburg, Osceola, Houtzdale will give 5 per cent. on Saturday for benefit Red Cross.

WHAT OTHERS THINK OF HER SINGING

Of Thamnaze Cox who has been engaged to sing the soprano solo parts in "The Conversion" which will mark the opening of the 42nd commencement of the Clearfield High school at the auditorium on Sunday afternoon the local paper of Frederick, Md., says:

By the storms of applause that greeted Mrs. Thamnaze Cox, of Houtzdale, Pa., last night when she appeared in a song recital in Hood College Hall, the affair was one of the most successful ever given at the college. Mrs. Cox, who has a lyric soprano voice of wide range and flexibility, was brought to Frederick by the members of the Senior class of the college.

Mrs. Cox sang with an ease and content that brought rounds of admiring applause from the large audience that had assembled in the college hall. Her enunciation was clear and her versatility was shown in her interpretation of the various songs in English, German, French and Italian. Besides her excellent voice, Mrs. Cox has a personality, which in itself wins her audience. Her manner is attractive. She responded generously to the many demands of the audience for encores.

ALL FIREMEN ATTENTION

An effort is being made to have this Memorial day celebration eclipse the celebrations of the past and to have the committee desires that every person participates who can possibly do so. We hope to have every fireman with a uniform in line tomorrow afternoon. Meet at borough building at 1 o'clock.

By order of the Chief
A. P. Spangler, Sec'y.

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When Itching Stops

There is one safe, dependable treatment that relieves itching torture and skin irritation almost instantly and that cleanses and soothes the skin.

Ask any druggist for a 35c or \$1 bottle of zemo and apply it as directed. Soon you will find that irritations, pimples, blackheads, eczema, blotches, ringworm and similar skin troubles will disappear. A little zemo, the penetrating, satisfying liquid, is all that is needed, for it banishes most skin eruptions and makes the skin soft, smooth and healthy.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

"MUTT AND JEFF" ENLIST

The Pennsylvania freight station crew has long contained two members who were generally referred to as the "Mutt and Jeff" of the gang. They were Lee Senser who measured 6 feet 4 inches in his heeled socks and B. F. Cole who taped 5 feet 2. The boys had a great time kidding each other over the war and their possibility of getting in. Senser declared Cole was too short and the latter contended his partner was too long for the trenches and Uncle Sam wouldn't have him on that account.

They decided to test their theories and were more than pleased to find they were both wrong. "Mutt" Senser went to Altoona last week and enlisted in the U. S. engineers and is now at Camp Dix, New Jersey, while "Jeff" Cole slipped quietly over to Johnston yesterday and was accepted for the Field Artillery and expects to leave for Camp in a day or two.

PAY OR PAINT

Mayor John M. Chase decided after careful inspection during several police courts that the thorough look-up needed renovating and a general overhauling, and with that end in view recently purchased a quantity of paint and brushes and then set his traps for a painter or two. Knowing that painters usually get full as little red wagons on Saturday night the Burgess expected a haul Sunday morning. He wasn't disappointed, either. There were several victims to come before the mayor, but only one failed to produce the necessary coin to pay for his keeping.

He was of the genius hobo and gave his name as Pat O'Brien from the Boverly in New York. He was given the contract to paint the look-up and started in on the job Monday morning. The police drag net Tuesday evening landed Pierce Caldwell, of Curwensville, in the borough bastille and this morning he was added to the lineup and the work is now going along finely.

With a two man crew the Mayor has decided on two coats and if he gets another painter or two the police have their eyes open for next Saturday night and may add a vest and pair of pants to it.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF THE P. O. S. OF A.

All members of Washington Camp 591, P. O. S. of A. are requested to meet in the lodge room on Thursday, May 30, at one o'clock to take part in the Memorial day parade. All members of other camps working or visiting in town are cordially invited to take part in the parade with Camp 591.

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

Mrs. Lynn Stewart is visiting relatives in Houtzdale.

Mrs. Frank Kelley is on the sick list at her home on South Side.

Mrs. Annie McTavish, of Hyde, was a week-end visitor at the home of Capt. John Norris and family, of George street.

Mrs. John Pifer and daughter, Miss Ruby, were shopping in DuBois yesterday.

Mrs. D. P. McClure is among the number reported on the sick list.

How high are we hereabouts? Curwensville is 1134 feet above sea level, Grampian 1569, and Summit 2034.

Mrs. Margaret Robinson is visiting her sister in Lumber City.

Curwensville's reorganized baseball team will stage their initial contest at Curwensville Memorial Day, at 3:30 p. m.

The home team's opponents for the opening game will be the fast Altoona High School team who will come here under the direction of Coach Sharada. The speedy Altoona team is represented by an aggregation of hall tossers that has won for them commendation wherever they played. They have crossed bats with the best teams in the state, including those of our largest cities, and to date they have only one loss to account for.

Curwensville has succeeded in assembling together a nine that it has right to feel proud of. The boys are practicing faithfully every day and will unquestionably show results of their consistent training.

Altoona comes here quite confident of adding another to their long string of victories, and Curwensville is equally as confident that they will stop their first game.

If the weather permits a record breaking crowd is expected. There will be a parade before the game and Burgess Traister will see Curwensville boys off on their opening victory by tossing out the first ball.

The power house at mine 20 was destroyed by fire Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Dunn and sister, Mrs. J. G. Fullerton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russell, of town, Mr. and Mrs. David Reid and Abram Reid of Glen Richy, Mrs. Walter Gray and Miss Catherine Reid of York, Pa., attended the funeral of their brother and brother-in-law, William Reid, at DuBois yesterday afternoon.

Curwensville people will celebrate Memorial Day tomorrow with appropriate exercises in Oak Hill cemetery at 2 o'clock p. m. William I. Swoope of Curwensville, will deliver the oration and both hands will be present to furnish the music.

MORE CLEARFIELD BOYS IN FRANCE

Isaac Hudson, Jr. and his cousin Harry Hudson have arrived in France according to word received by their parents Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. James Hudson.

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BEST FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, LUMBAGO

Wonderful 20th Century Liniment Can now be obtained at all Good Drug Stores. Is Guaranteed.

The shocking, burning pain of Rheumatism, Backache, Lumbago, Sciatica, and other ailments, which often keep you from your work and home, can be relieved by the use of 20th Century Liniment. This liniment is made from the finest ingredients and is guaranteed to give you instant relief. It is the only liniment that has been used by the military and naval forces of the United States. It is the only liniment that has been used by the British, French, and German forces. It is the only liniment that has been used by the Japanese and Chinese forces. It is the only liniment that has been used by the Russian and Soviet forces. It is the only liniment that has been used by the American and Canadian forces. It is the only liniment that has been used by the Australian and New Zealand forces. It is the only liniment that has been used by the South African and Indian forces. It is the only liniment that has been used by the Egyptian and Syrian forces. 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GLOBE THEATRE

TONIGHT

Word-Pictures Present
 Carlyle Blackwell, Muriel Ostriche,
 Evelyn Greeley in
"THE GOOD FOR NOTHING"
 Oh boy, Oh joy, here's the film for
 you. Giggles and snorts, ripples and
 sales of laughter follow the progress
 of Jack, the good-for-nothing, thru
 his career as shown in this picture.
 Your attention is gripped at the very
 start of this picture and held to the
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Special Vitaphone Comedy
"BABES AND BOOBS"

Music by the Orchestra
 Shows start 1, 2.30, 4, 6.30, 8, 9.30
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Special World Feature
 George Beban with all star cast in
"PAWN OF FATE"
 5 Wonderful Acts

"THE MYSTERY SHIP"
 Episode No. 13

COLLEGE OF MUSIC COMMENCEMENT

Invitations are out for the Susquehanna College of Music commencement to be held Friday night, May 31st, in the college auditorium at 8.30 o'clock. The program promises to be one of the best ever given by the institution. The three young ladies receiving certificates this year are Miss Pilkington of Curwensville, Miss Kline and Way of Clearfield.

Aside from the several piano selections they will render, there will be a number of songs by the advanced pupils of the vocal department and selections by the College orchestra. Rev. C. W. Baker will deliver the address.

A cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the College but on account of the limited seating capacity of the auditorium no children under 12 will be admitted unless pupils of the College or accompanied by their parents or friends.

CURWENSVILLE CITIZEN IN HOSPITAL

Levi J. LaPorte, of Curwensville, the newspaper writer and historian, went to the Clearfield hospital this morning, where he will undergo a course of medical treatment and observation. He has been in failing health for some time and his host of friends hope for his speedy restoration to perfect health.

TORNADO IN COOPER TOWNSHIP

A tornado swept over a part of Cooper township Saturday night last causing a great deal of havoc and destruction. The large barn of John Hoover on the old Jeremiah Hoove homestead farm was in the path of the tornado which picked off the roof and carried it bodily several hundred feet distant into the woods.

ANOTHER DIVORCE ASKED FOR

John C. Arnold, Esq., filed a petition in the Prothonotary's office this morning on behalf of Mrs. Annie Rosenstrader in which she asks a divorce from her husband Julius Rosenstrader. The reason advanced is cruel and barbarous treatment.

MEMORIAL DAY AT CURWENSVILLE

Curwensville people will celebrate Memorial day tomorrow with appropriate exercises in Oak Hill cemetery at 2 o'clock p. m. William I. Swoope of Curwensville, will deliver the oration and both bands will be present to furnish the music.

Workman's Cash Stores at Clearfield, Philipsburg, Osceola, Houtzdale will give 5 per cent. on Saturday for benefit Red Cross.

Persperina

The warm weather with its attendant uncomfortable perspiration need have no terrors for you if you'll use this deodorant.

Almost instant in its action and lasting in effects. You may go through the heated term without discomfort at any sort.

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DEMOCRACY VS. FINE WRITING

The Latter Is, Beyond All Question, Dependent Upon the Respect of the Former.

I do not agree with the pessimists who think that a democratic civilization is necessarily an enemy to fine writing in the Century. Such critics underestimate the challenge which these millions of minds to be reached and souls to be touched must possess that writers, like actors, are inspired by a crowded house.

But the thought and the labor and the pain that lie behind good writing are doubly difficult in an atmosphere of easy tolerance and good natured condescension on the part of the readers of the completed work.

The novel is the test case for democratic literature. We cannot afford to pay its practitioners with cash merely, for cash discriminates in quantity and little more. Saul and David were judged by the numbers of their thousands slain; but the test was a crude one for them and cruder still in fiction. We cannot afford to patronize these novelists as our ancestors did before us. Not prizes or endowments or coteries worship or, certainly, more advertising is what the American novelist requires, but a greater respect for his craft.

The Elizabethan playwright was frequently despised of the learned world, and, if a favorite, not always a respected one of the vulgar. Strange that learned and vulgar alike should repeat the fallacy in disparaging the pre-eminent popular art of our own times! To Sir Francis Bacon "Hamlet" was presumably only a play actor's play. If the great American story should arrive at last, would we not call it "only a novel"?

BREEDING SHEEP FOR FUR

Production of "Persian Lamb" May Be Added to the Industries of the United States.

In far-away Bokhara, a town and district in Asiatic Russia that has a half-mythical sound to American ears, "Persian" lambs have been grown for ages for the tightly curled, lustrous-black fleeces that constitute the warm cover of the natives. And so the fashion of wearing Persian lamb and astrakhan has come down from the ages until women in all civilized lands where the winters are cold seek their warmth, and fashion's decree has made them so popular that the cost of Persian lamb has gone up 142 per cent in 15 years.

It must have been instinct—it could not have been foreknowledge—that a world war would entail commerce—that made an American decide a few years ago to try breeding the sort of sheep that bear the highly prized fleeces, on his 1,900-acre ranch near Cottonwood Falls, Kan. He reasoned that if they could be bred in Asia, they could be bred in Kansas, and so thoroughly did he believe in the proposition that he invested \$35,000 in karakul sheep from Bokhara. These he crossed with native Lincoln-bred sheep, and the lambs of this cross bear the valuable pelts that hitherto have been imported almost exclusively from Russia.—Robert H. Moulton in Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Clear Roads for Dispatch Bearer.

After grading upon the auto truck cover of a recent issue a saddened and cynical reader wrote to Collier's Weekly: "You have made a great mistake. You have placed all the army trucks on the side of the road, leaving ample room for trucks going in the opposite direction to travel without going down in the ditch. My experience with army motor trucks is that they always travel on the crown of the road, and when you see one on the side of the road you can figure that it is broken down."

Collier's replied: "Be this observation true or not, there is one being before whom even the ruthless and disdainful truck driver quails—the dispatch rider. There is no more soul-satisfying sight for a harassed pedestrian in the French war zone than that of a dispatch motorcycle shooting down a road at 80 miles an hour, with a two-mile line of motor trucks and staff cars scuttling hastily into the ditches to get out of the way."

Reichstag Has Little Power.

Of the 397 members of the reichstag, Prussia sends 236. The body can be dissolved at any time by the Bundesrat with the consent of the emperor. This power has been used effectively three times to break down the resistance of the reichstag—in 1878, when it refused to pass the bill to suppress the socialists; in 1887, when it would not agree to fix the size of the army for seven years; and in 1903, when it declined to change the military system. In each case the new body did what the government demanded. Since the principal financial arrangements are matters of standing law, if the reichstag refuses to pass a new budget increasing allowances, or passes one reducing them, the government can be carried on the old basis without any action on the part of parliament.

Crude Booths Take Place of Dinners.

Dining cars being unknown on certain railroads along the west coast of Mexico, crude booths are provided on various station platforms, where food is served. They consist of loose pieces of canvas supported by poles, beneath which are tables and chairs. The trains wait while the passengers eat the none-too-appetizing fare.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

The San Francisco Seal champion of the Pacific Coast league last year got away to a bad start this season.

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barton and family left today for Templeton, Pa., where they expect to make their future home. Mr. Barton is located there with the Harbison and Walker Ref. Co.

Miss Ruth Collins has accepted a position in the cashier's office in Leitzinger Bros. store.

Mrs. D. D. Long of Olanta was shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Lefevre of Ephrata, Lancaster, Pa., is visiting her son Clarence Lefevre and family.

William Wrayley left last evening for Washington, D. C., where he is stationed with the Ordnance department after being home on furlough to visit his wife and little daughter.

Warren Rowles of New Millport transacted business in town today.

Miss Mame Hartzfeld has returned from Pittsburgh where she has been spending the past few weeks.

A. I. Bell of Mahaffey returned home today after attending court this week.

Wm. Chase of Smith Mill was juror here this week and returned home today.

J. B. Gelnet, of Rockton, was a juror here this week.

W. H. Overdorf returned to his home in DuBois today after attending to business here this week.

W. I. Swoope returned last evening from a business trip to Philadelphia.

Mrs. Reuben Kester of Newtown and mother Mrs. E. M. Davis, of Grampian are visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Mrs. Maines Bowes and family of Nichol street left today for Howard to spend the week end with relatives.

Blair Kephart, of Montgomery, Pa., was a Clearfield business visitor today.

Joseph Shoff, of Madera, transacted business in town today.

Mrs. M. B. Smith and son Blair of West Moshannon were in Clearfield yesterday attending to business.

John Scollins of Houtzdale, transacted business in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boulton and son Harold will spend Decoration day at their former home in Houtzdale.

Heber Straw accompanied A. W. Lee to Ashville, N. C. They will make the return trip in Mr. Lee's car.

George Patchell has returned to his home in Philadelphia after spending several days with Harry Boulton at his home on Turnpike avenue.

Tomorrow being feast of Corpus Christi, mass in the St. Francis church will be at eight o'clock in the morning.

Mrs. Marie Mignot left this morning to spend a couple of days with C. E. Glenn and family at Evans City enroute to Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, where she is in training at the sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Banks Smith left today for an auto trip to Watsonstown where they will spend Decoration day.

Miss Hazel Irwin left today for her home in Irwin to spend Decoration day.

Miss Orrell Davis is visiting at the home of her uncle G. J. Weber in Troutville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin arrived home last evening from Chicago, Ill., where they were attending the Grand Council of the Royal Arcanum, Mr. Martin being one of the eight representatives from the State of Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip B. Reed left this morning for an auto trip to Philadelphia where Mr. Reed will attend to business for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell, Jr., arrived home yesterday from an auto trip to Lewistown where they spent several days visiting friends.

Mrs. Bert Charlton and daughters are visiting relatives in Munson.

Wrod has been received that John Beahan Jr. has arrived safely in France.

Miss Almada Humell returned to her home in Big Run yesterday after visiting her sister Mrs. M. J. Fillhart of Ogden avenue for a few days.

C. J. Lewis of O'Shanter visited Cecil Read at Coalport this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Lewis, Mrs. James Orman, Mrs. James Johnson and Mrs. Rummings, of O'Shanter motored to Clearfield yesterday and were shopping in our stores.

Mrs. James Sneddon of O'Shanter was among the out of town shoppers here today.

Mrs. D. C. Hipps and Mrs. Harry Peterman of Lumber City, are shopping in town today.

NO ADVANCE IN PRICE

NEURALGIA
 For quick results
 rub the forehead
 and temples with
VICK'S VAPORUB

25c—50c—\$1.00

TIGHTWADS DOWN IN GOSHEN, TOO

May 28th, 1918.

Dear Mr. Editor—

Referring to your editorial of May 27th, where you offer apologies about a former editorial which applied to some "tight" farmers of Lawrence township, who for some reason would not contribute money for war purposes, I desire to offer the good citizens who "did come across" consolation in the fact that their township is not the only township that has a "tightwad"; that their neighbor township, Goshen, has one that if all the citizens of the township knew it they no doubt would celebrate the date of his departure if he would only leave.

This unpatriotic citizen was visited by a member of the Red Cross committee and asked for a contribution, the amount of which was not mentioned. He offered many excuses, among them that he was a poor man himself (which he is not), that when he was sick nobody ever came to help him, and he had no assurance that they ever would; that he was too poor to help in a cause of this kind; that he really needed help himself. Now, if he could have had his facial expression the committee might of believed his story. Before the committee had time to tell him why he should contribute something, and that the contributions that had been asked were very small, he "beat it". Said "I must look after my cows." Wow! The committee felt like fifteen cents but they had to take it.

Now the interesting part. Another committeeman called on him two days afterward and stated their business. "Sorry," he said, "I was waited on the other day by another committee; you are too late." And that other committee is still waiting, and no doubt will continue to wait. It seems that a card index should be kept of these people. Surely something should be done to arouse their patriotism. Surely they have American blood in them; perhaps they don't understand that we are in war with a powerful European nation. Perhaps they never knew that men, women and children, citizens of our country, have been murdered in cold blood on the high seas; murdered apparently with the same spirit that the savage slayed the pioneer in this country one hundred years ago.

If these people were summoned to appear before a United States court and listen to a lecture on patriotism, perhaps they would see things in a different light.

Red Cross Soliciting Committee

RED CROSS GIRLS

Louise Sheeder, Margaret Shapiro, Lenore Hays had an ice cream stand in front of Sheeder's music store yesterday and realized a nice sum for the Red Cross. They will keep open house for the same cause today and tomorrow.

SOLDIERS' WIVES OR WIDOWS

All widows or wives of soldiers of the Civil war are expected to participate in the Memorial Day parade tomorrow. Mayor John M. Chase is arranging for automobiles for them and all should report to him or Miss Millicent Bigler.

SURPRISE PARTY

About fifteen of the friends of Mrs. Helen Livingston gathered at her home on Market street last evening and gave her a delightful surprise party.

The evening was most enjoyably spent in sewing, playing games and dancing until a late hour when refreshments were served.

LOST—A gold watch fob consisting of a two dollar and a half gold piece on an inch chain. Lost somewhere on the streets of Clearfield. Valued as a gift from a soldier brother in France. Handsome reward if returned to Jack Hudson, R. D. 5 or to the Progress office. M29-3t

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do you continue to risk your all without adequate fire protection when we will gladly explain any feature that you may not understand?

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ANOTHER SAD SIDE OF WAR

Many Men Who Have Won Honors Have Lost Comrades and Feel Lack of Companionship.

An American was sitting in Simpson's restaurant recently having dinner when a hardy man in Canadian uniform started to converse with him. The Canadian was working in a large automobile factory in Windsor when the war started, but enlisted in a Canadian regiment and has been in five of the worst battles of the war. Hardly a handful of the men who started with him are still on the roster. This particular soldier was about to leave for the trenches again after completing his leave. There was nothing remarkable in that, but this is his story:

Inside his coat he wore the Victoria Cross. He got it at Ypres, where he carried a captain three hundred feet through No Man's Land with bullets flying all about him. He has no acquaintances in England. He hasn't a relative in the world. He was just hungering for some one to talk to when he saw the American. He reluctantly showed his decoration, and said it would give him great happiness if he had some one somewhere in the world who was close enough to him to slap him on the back and say, "Good, old chap!"

Still he wasn't maudlin about it. He was just one of thousands who are carrying honors around with them and have no relative or intimate friend to congratulate them. It's war.

This particular soldier said as he left X—

"If I ever get through I'm going back to the States, but the odds are against me. We can't always beat this fighting game. It's like roulette. It gets you in the long run. There is only one man of my original company left besides myself."—London Mail.

TO RESTORE PERSIA'S STATUS

Russian Bolshevik Authorities Announce Intention of Giving It Its Former Independence.

A little more than ten years ago, in 1907, Persia ceased to be a sovereign nation in anything but name and was resolved into twin "spheres of influence." The northern half was a Russian sphere, the southern half British. The pressure from north and south grew until it forced out the American, Morgan Shuster, who had come to put Persia on its financial feet.

That was an incident of imperialism. It was a British-Russian alliance to block off Germany from getting into Persia from the west by way of Turkey and the Berlin-Bagdad line. Under the Queensberry stroke of imperialism it was a fair stroke, with plenty of historical precedent, says the Boston Globe.

Now the foreign minister of a Russian government that has no regard for imperialism and its rules has sent word to Persia that the 1907 agreement is all off, null and void, and that Russia will now try to relieve her of Turkish and British troops, too.

In announcing this doctrine of Persia for the Persians, and putting it into practice, the Russian bolshevik government immeasurably strengthened the position it took at Brest-Litovsk and at Petrograd in demanding liberation for all subject nationalities.

It is fair to say that the British ministry today would be slow to apply the mailed fist of imperialism as in Persia in 1907. Much water has flowed under the bridges since, and the imperialistic tide is ebbing fast.

British Geological Photos.

A committee of the British Association for the Advancement of Science has been engaged for many years in forming a national collection of photographs illustrating the geology of the British Isles. According to the last report the collection now includes upward of 5,600 pictures. More than a thousand of these were taken in Yorkshire. A collection of the same character has been made by the geological survey of Great Britain, which has recently published a list of its Scottish pictures. Both the B. A. committee and the geological survey offer prints and lantern slides for sale. The Tunbridge Wells National History society offers prizes for photographs of scenery illustrating geological features.—Scientific American.

Siamese Study in United States.

About fifteen students from Siam have registered at American educational institutions this year to qualify in the professions of law, medicine and civil engineering. Several such students have in the past graduated from American colleges and engineering schools and are now employed by their own government in important public works.

Incidentally they have been the means of introducing American machinery, scientific apparatus and other manufactures into their country. Among the students who left the United States in August were four holders of king's scholarships, and these young men will be educated at the expense of the Siamese government.

Dash or —

General Ian Hamilton, who has a pretty talent for writing, complains that his descriptive messages from the front were sadly garbled by unlettered censors. Which reminds us of the story how some writer protesting the historic charge that "Our army swore terribly in Flanders," said it was really an erroneous rewriting by some lunkhead of: "Our army advanced with great dash."—Boston Transcript.

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"YALP? ROINES EHT"

Store Closed All Day Memorial Day. Will Close Tonight 6 P. M.

The Most Complete Summer Apparel Shop in This Community

Perhaps we should have said, "we believe this is the most complete." But never have we made such elaborate preparations to meet a great demand. Particularly true of sports styles.

New Silk Suits

Rich in the new colorings, in silk poplin, taffeta and Faille, plain shades. These are included in our great Suit Sale, former prices were \$35.00 to \$55.00. Prices now are **\$29.75 to \$39.75**

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JUNE LIST STARTS TOMORROW

We will list the June list here tomorrow and continue to give you the good ones all during the month.

2nd St. **SHEEDER'S MUSIC HOUSE** Clearfield



Complete Storage Battery Service

No more idle cars while waiting for battery troubles to be corrected. We have installed a complete storage battery station and are the sole representatives in Clearfield and Centre counties for the

U. S. L. Storage Batteries

Our service is complete. We can re-charge and repair any storage battery. We can equip any ordinary car at a moments notice with a storage battery of national repute. We can rent you a battery while yours is being repaired or re-charged, in fact, such complete battery service has never been known in this vicinity before.

Experienced men in charge of installations and repairs.

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WEDDED AT PETERSBURG, VA.

A wedding in which two Clearfield young people were participants was celebrated at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., on May 15th last. The contracting parties were John Irvin Harry and Miss Maude Cochran, a well known Third Ward young couple, the groom being one of the recent national army recruits from district No 1. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. R. Stribling, of the Table Red Cross solicitors, approached them street Presbyterian church, Petersburg, Va.

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CALDWELL MINE EMPLOYEES ALRIGHT

The miners employed at Caldwell mine, near Curwensville, refuse to take a back seat from any other mine or community when it comes down to a matter of patriotic citizenship or "doing their bit" in these war times. The Caldwell mine boys have nobly responded to every appeal in behalf of their government and when the Red Cross solicitors approached them on this second war fund drive every man went down into his jeans and subscribed an average of \$5 per man or a total of \$216.00 which sure is a fine showing.

Put that want ad in the Progress and get results.